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for Next Sunday

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Next Sunday's Post-Dispatch
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MAN WHO KILLED SELF AT HOTEL HAD \$50,000 INSURANCE

W. E. Zimmerman Ended Life So
Debs Could Be Paid, His
Relatives Believe.

HAD ESTATE IN GERMANY

Former Wealthy Lumberman of
Springfield, Ill., Had Been
Unable to Get Money.

Life insurance policies which relatives said would total about \$50,000 were carried by Walter E. Zimmerman of Springfield, Ill., former wealthy lumberman, who shot and killed himself in his room at the Planters Hotel. His body was found yesterday afternoon, probably 24 hours after he had ended his life.

His stepson, Henry Davis, a Springfield newspaper man, told a Post-Dispatch reporter today that Zimmerman had worked over inability to get money from his estate in Germany because of war. Zimmerman's former residence in Berlin, Davis said, was sold five years ago to United States Ambassador Gerard for \$200,000.

A program of the opera "Madame Butterfly," was found in Zimmerman's pockets, with the quotation: "to die in honor, when one can no longer live with honor" heavily underscored. Davis said he believed his stepfather intended to convey the impression that while he was unable to pay \$2000 or \$3000 debts, his insurance money would more than meet his obligations.

HAD PAWNED OVERCOAT.

Only 10 cents were found in his pockets. A pawn ticket for \$6.50 for an overcoat pawned in Springfield, Oct. 26, and identification cards were found in his pockets.

Zimmerman and his stepfather had been acting strangely recently and that his mind apparently had become unbalanced.

Zimmerman formerly lived in Miami, Fla., and also lived at intervals in St. Louis. He came to the United States from Germany 14 years ago. Soon afterward he was married to his present wife, who was the widow of a Memphis lumberman. Mrs. Zimmerman, her son by a former marriage and her 5-year-old daughter came to St. Louis from Springfield after they were notified of Zimmerman's death. They are at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. George Dukes, 1120 Da Graville Avenue.

Zimmerman remained at the hotel Oct. 26, "to see," said Mrs. Zimmerman, Chicago. The hotel manager said he knew Zimmerman well, and that a few days ago Zimmerman said his business interests in Germany virtually had been destroyed by the war. Zimmerman at that time expressed a desire to return to Germany.

Reader of Omar Khayyam.

While living in Miami, Zimmerman became interested in several financial institutions. A volume of the "Rubaiyat" of Omar Khayyam was found in an overcoat pocket. He had underscored many verses, one of which read:

"Yesterday this day's madness did pre-
pare to-morrow's silence, triumph or despair.
Drink, for you know not whence you
came or why;
Drink, for you know not why you go
nor where."

The body was found upright in a chair with the revolver, from which the shot was fired, lying on the floor, near the chair.

EACH CONVICT IN STATE PRISON GETS MINCE PIE

2500 Pounds Turkey and 10 Barrels
of Cranberries for Thanksgiving.

Turkey Dinner.

JEFFERSON CITY, Nov. 25.—More than 250 pounds of dressed turkey and 2000 mince pies were consumed at the big Thanksgiving dinner for the 250 state convicts. The meal was served at 5 o'clock.

A moving picture show will be run all day in the chapel and the convicts will be permitted to attend it in relays.

The items for the dinner today were as follows: turkey, 2500 pounds; turkey dressing and gravy; celery, 10 crates; cranberries, 10 barrels; potatoes, 40 bushels; sauerkraut, three barrels; bread, coffee, mince pies, 2000, and ginger cake.

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Leavenworth Convicts.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Nov. 25.—The 1000 prisoners at the United States Penitentiary here will enjoy a Thanksgiving dinner today of turkey and cranberry sauce and "homemade" mince pie, in addition the prison orchestra will play a special concert of selected music.

Thomas W. Morgan, warden of the prison, granted the men the freedom of the yard for the day, and provided for a motion picture show and vaudeville entertainment this afternoon.

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Paralysis and death probably was due to formation of blood clots on the brain. Diehl was a cousin of former Congressman William N. Baltz. He was a fine favorite.

Mild Weather and Lots of Thanksgiving Turkey

Wards of the City in Public Institutions Supplied
With 4000 Pounds of the Bird—
Business Generally Suspended.

St. Louisans observed Thanksgiving morning in mild weather—the warmest in St. Louis in several years. A 55-degree drop in temperature by night, with rain or snow tomorrow, is forecast.

The temperature, owing to a south wind, rose to 65 degrees at 9 a.m., in contrast with a temperature of 49 degrees on Thanksgiving of last year, 53 degrees in 1913, 27 in 1912 and 30 in 1911.

Business houses, banks, office buildings and city, State and Federal offices were all closed. Employees were free to do their holiday. There was one delivery of mail.

The city was bountifully supplied with turkey for Thanksgiving dinner. The supply was in excess of the demand, and the price dropped from 24 and 25 cents to 20 and 21 cents last night. Thousands of turkeys were sold by dealers, and the city purchased 4000 pounds for the wards of its institutions.

Thanksgiving services were held in almost all the churches of the city at 10 a.m. There was special music. Many of the pastors in their sermons said that the people of the United States should be profoundly thankful for peace, while Europe was engulfed in destructive war.

Archbishop Glennon conducted Thanksgiving services in the Old Cathedral on Market street, and Bishop Tuttle conducted the services at Christ Church.

RAIN AND COLDER TONIGHT,
SNOW LIKELY TOMORROW

THE TEMPERATURES.

5 a.m. ... 50 10 a.m. ... 47
7 a.m. ... 62 12 noon ... 65
5 p.m. ... 65

Yesterday's Temperatures.
High, 64 at 2 p.m. Low, 37 at 6 a.m.
Humidity at 7 p.m. yesterday, 47
per cent; at 7 a.m. today, 79 per
cent.

Official Forecast for St. Louis and vicinity:
Rain and colder tonight, with the lowest tempera-
ture about 30 tomorrow un-
settled and cold with rain and
snow; fresh winds.

NOV. 25
MISSOURI—Rain and colder to-
night; tomorrow un-
settled, with rain or snow in east
portion; a fresh
winds.

Stage of the river: 9.5 feet.

COUNTESS SZECHENYI CARING
FOR 300 WAR ORPHANS

Children Call Her "Mother Gladys" and
Cardie Has Become Show Place
of Budapest.

YOUNG, Nov. 25.—Countess Sze-
chenyi, formerly Gladys Vanderbilt,
according to advice from Budapest,
has turned her castle on Andrássy
street into an orphanage, and is caring
for 300 children.

A visit to the Széchenyi castle has
become one of the popular features at
Budapest and the street often is
filled with people watching the war
orphans playing in the gardens.

When the Countess appears
the children surround her, calling her
"Mother Gladys," and the crowds
outside cheer.

MASQUERADE SPEEDER CAUGHT

Jerome Friede Was Returning From
Elks' "Hayed Party."

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to anticipate the time of calling the 1917 contingent so that its services might be available if the need arose, in the spring of 1918, the minimum time of training being five months.

British Take Two Towns Near Bagdad; Loss 300 Men.

LONDON, Nov. 25.—Although they took Ctesiphon, 12 miles from Bagdad, and repulsed a Turkish counter attack, the British forces under Gen. Townshend were compelled to retire three or four miles in order to get water, an official communication issued last night says. The British losses in the fighting for Zaur, which also was taken, and Ctesiphon, are calculated at 300 men killed or wounded.

George Bernard Shaw Praises Germany May Conclude With America.

LONDON, Nov. 25.—George Bernard Shaw, addressing the Fabian Society last night, took a peep into the future. He saw only two alternatives after the war—either a league of Western civilization, embracing all nations from the Rockies to the Carpathians, or a league of the United States and Germany against England.

The first proposal was his own. "I do not believe," he said, "there could be any peace in the world until there is peace between England, France and Germany."

On the other hand, if Germany were too badly beaten in the present war, Mr. Shaw recommended her to sayings to America: "You see how we are panned in. You are in the same position; had you not better form a combination with us?"

Seven German Regiments Said to Have Reached Prilep.

GENEVA, Nov. 25.—The arrival of seven regiments of German troops at Prilep, Servia, is announced by the newspapers in what purports to be dispatches received from Bucharest.

There have been reports that the advance upon Monastir was delayed after the capture of Prilep, the Bulgars to wait the arrival of German troops, as it was feared the occupation by the Bulgarians of a town so near the Greek border might cause unrest in Greece.

Bank of England's Gold Reserve Is Reduced.

LONDON, Nov. 25.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserve decreased \$1,118,000, including an increase of \$200,000, bullion decreased \$1,118,000, other securities decreased \$3,546,000, public deposits increased \$1,967,000, other deposits decreased \$2,007,000, notes in issue decreased \$1,406,000. Government securities unchanged. Proportion of the bank's reserve to liability this week, 27.4 per cent unchanged from last week. Rate of discount unchanged, at 5 per cent.

King Peter Expected to Rule Servia From Montenegro Capital.

BELGRADE, Nov. 25.—A dispatch to the Berlin Zeitung from Sofia carries the report that King Peter of Servia has accepted the invitation from King Nicholas of Montenegro to come to Cattinje and rule his country from the Montenegrin capital. The report adds that the Servian Ministers will accompany King Peter from Salonicci.

Russian Freight Steamer Escapes Pursuing Submarine.

MARSEILLE, Nov. 25.—The Russian freight steamer Odessa arrived here today and reported she had been pursued by a submarine. She escaped owing to her superior speed and the roughness of the sea.

The Odessa, 4,772 tons gross, was reported leaving Marseilles, Oct. 25, for Salonicci, Greece.

Japanese Landing Heavy Guns on Black Sea Coast of Russia.

COPENHAGEN, Nov. 25.—A telegram received here from Berlin today says that great consignments of heavy Japanese guns are arriving daily at Odessa on the Black Sea coast of Russia. It is inferred co-operation of Russian forces in the Balkan campaign is to begin shortly.

Invaders Are Crossing in on Servian Troops.

LONDON, Nov. 25, 12:32 p.m.—Military events in the Balkans appear to be marching swiftly to a conclusion disastrous to Servia. The approaches to the historic battlefield of Kosovo Plain, which were expected to form a strong advance of Servians, already have been traversed. In the long battle the Servians are reported to have been unable to withstand the shock of the attack and they are now said to be in retreat toward the Albanian border. Since the fall of Pristina and Mitrovica, the keys to the Servian defensive position, final Servian retreat has been regarded as inevitable.

In the absence of late information concerning the situation at Katchanik Pass, it may be assumed the Servians are still holding that position. In the south where the allied troops are operating the situation is unchanged.

French Extend Their Lines in the Jura District.

SALONICKI, Nov. 25.—The French have extended their lines east of Kravolok as far as Brusil and Krasnaya, according to reports received here. The Servian offensive in the direction of Taskovats has resulted in an important local success.

Belgian Arrest Sister of Belgian Minister to Colonies.

HAVRE, France, Nov. 25.—Word was received here today that Mme. Juliette Rankin, sister of the Belgian Minister of Colonies, has been arrested by the German authorities at Brussels. The charge is not specified.

"BUCK" WEAVER BADLY INJURED

Former White Sox Catcher May Die As Result of Denver Explosion.

DENVER, Colo., Nov. 25.—Arthur (Buck) Weaver, formerly catcher for the Denver and Wichita Western League baseball clubs and formerly with the White Sox, was probably fatally injured today in an explosion and fire that damaged the plant of the Mountain Manufacturing Co., of which he was supervisor.

Charles Peters, a driver, also was severely hurt. An office worker is believed to have caused the explosion.

Six Members of U. S. Flying Unit on Trip to San Antonio and Officer in Command

Left to right: Lieut. T. S. Bowen, Lieut. J. E. Carberry, Capt. B. D. Foulois, Lieut. T. D. Milling, Lieut. I. R. Eader and Lieut. C. G. Chapman.



ADMIRAL STANFORD HERE URGES NEED OF NEW DRY DOCKS

U. S. Now Has Only Four and These Are Being Outgrown, He Says.

Retired Admiral H. R. Stanford, a St. Louisian, who is chief of the Bureau of Docks and Yards, U. S. N. A., and who is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Stanford of Alton, told a Post-Dispatch reporter today that he is preaching the great need of preparedness in the United States in the matter of new dry docks. The Admiral said that at the present time America has but four good docks, one at Brooklyn, one at Newport News, one in Alaska and one at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

Even these four docks were being outgrown rapidly, he said, and the navy would face a critical condition if called upon for active service under present conditions. A battleship, he said, was just like a race horse. It must be carefully groomed and shot to win.

Before the war, the Admiral said, the great nations in Europe each had many good dry docks, but the war has taken away most of them.

The rapid increasing size of naval battleships was fast making the old docks useless.

As a result of the war the European nations had been obliged to rush work upon new and enormous docks. While the curtain of secrecy hid the exact extent of the work done, he said, all naval officers knew that the foreign nations must have provided many huge dry docks in the last 18 months.

The Admiral said that at the close of the war all the other great nations, because of these new docks, would have a tremendous advantage over the United States navy and that this country must awaken to the fact that it was not enough to build war vessels, but that arrangements must be made for keeping the fleets in perfect trim.

The Admiral visited the class in civil engineering at Washington University yesterday and in the evening spoke before the Engineers' Club at the Pearl Harbor speech. The Admiral is 50 years old. He was graduated from the St. Louis Manual Training School in 1888 and later from Washington University.

In 1888 he became an officer in the navy and in 1913 was made Chief of the Bureau of Docks and Yards, with the rank of Rear Admiral.

OKLAHOMA MARRIAGES JUST MATTER OF FORM, SAYS JUDGE

MUSKOGEE, Ok., Nov. 25.—"In Oklahoma marriage and divorce are only a matter of form," Judge R. P. de Graffenreid of the District Court said, in an interview. "I can do nothing but follow the laws on our statute books. If I had my way there would not be a single divorce granted."

"People regard marriage as an occurrence," the Judge, much of whose business at each term of court is from the divorce docket, continued. "Men and women meet and marry in a few hours, and the next day they may be asking for a divorce. Lawyers in these cases round me to death. They would stop the Katy train, or the wheels of the government, or, if they could, they would stop the sun from shining in order to get a divorce."

"Only the other day I granted a divorce to a woman who was 44 years old. I asked how long she had known her husband before she married him, and she replied: 'Just one hour.' She said she was a lonely widow down in Arkansas and concluded she wanted to marry. She advertised for a husband and got an answer from a man in Westville, Okla. She came to Oklahoma, met the man at the train, and, after an hour's preparation, they were married. Ten days later her husband deserted."

OLD MAIL DEBT NOT PAID

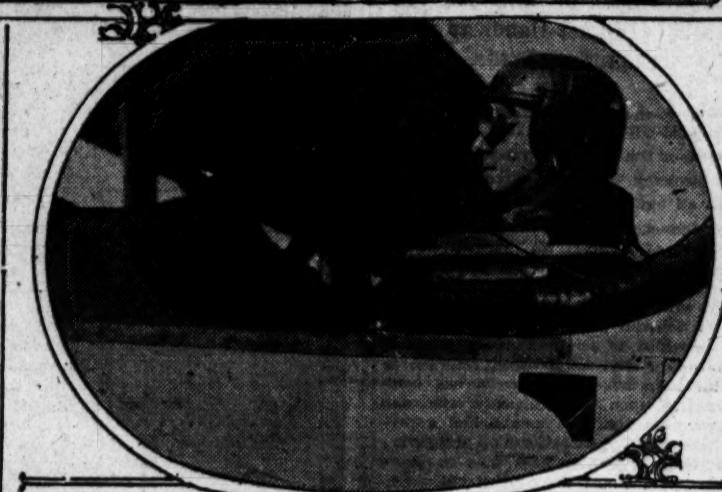
NEWTON, N. C., Nov. 25.—A recent news report from Washington stated that there was in the United States Treasury \$10,000 to the credit of W. F. Bollinger of this county, for carrying the mail prior to the outbreak of the Civil War. It had remained unpaid because the hair or hairs had never been found.

George E. Bollinger of Statesville, saw the item in a local paper and, being a son of the anti-war mail carrier, has taken steps to collect the money, which, if interest was allowed, will total \$600. He and a sister are the only two surviving children of W. F. Bollinger, who accidentally shot himself while getting into the dry bed of a canal cut in the war.

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\$89,000,000 DEAL IN COPPER; BIGGEST SINCE ONE IN STEEL

Kennecott Corporation to Take Over Guggenheim Holdings in Braden and Utah.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Terms were officially announced today in Wall street for underwriting the Kennecott corporation, a copper merger with transportation auxiliaries, bringing about one of the biggest syndicates since the United States Steel Corporation was formed.

Guggenheim-Morgan interests head the list and nearly all the important financial institutions downtown will be involved.

Underwriters will furnish up to \$65,000 to carry through the deal and receive 5 per cent in stock for services.

In addition to the \$65,000,000 thus pledged, the deal will involve an additional \$34,000,000, for which arrangements have been made. It is thus an \$89,000,000 concern.

The new corporation will take over all the holdings of the Guggenheim Exploration Co. in Braden and Utah stock, rating Kennecott stock at \$50, Braden at \$15 and Utah at \$7.50, and \$10,000,000 Kennecott Copper Corporation 6 per cent bonds.

Braden will cost the new corporation \$30,000 for 2,000,000 shares, Utah will cost \$30,000,000, shorn of its \$10,000,000 cost due to price of \$10,000.

Holders of Braden and Utah to the amount of \$24,000,000 have already agreed to accept the new stock in exchange, reducing syndicate guarantees to \$65,000. All the securities concerned advanced above the exchange prices in yesterday's market, following the official announcement.

FARMER WELL-TO-DO, BUT NO STATE WANTS HIS TAXES

Neither Is He Permitted to Vote Although Owning Over 1200 Acres of Land.

FALLS CITY, Neb., Nov. 25.—Arthur Lytle is a full-fledged citizen of the United States with more than 1200 acres of land on which he grows tobacco and other profitable commodities in volume to make him independent financially, but has no citizenship in any state.

Two years ago Lytle was a fisherman, a small sandbar island lying near the Missouri shore.

As time went on, the acreage made his domain of very respectable size, and now it has swollen to nearly two sections of land. Seeing splendid possibilities, he began to farm. Fortune favored him and the hut gave way to a house of normal size and barns and feed lots.

Neither Missouri nor Nebraska molested him for taxes and in each of the states he was forbidden to vote, as his holdings are regarded as outside the jurisdiction of the general government.

PICKED CHILD TO BE HIS WIFE

Canadian, 22, Weds Ohio Girl When She Becomes 24.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 25.—James W. Corcoran, 62 years old, a manufacturer of Toronto, Canada, and Miss Mary McLaughlin of this city, 24, have been married here by the Rev. Roy E. Whitman, pastor of the South Congregational Church.

Corcoran picked out his wife in her childhood, his wooing keeping pace with her development.

SHE SEEKS DIVORCE AT 70

Woman Charges Husband Deserted Her 24 Years Ago.

COVINGTON, Ky., Nov. 25.—Mrs. Ruth Current has filed suit for divorce from Jessie Current, alleging absence of the husband. They have no children and the defendant is said to be living in Bourbon County, this State.

The couple married in 1885 and separated 24 years ago. Ruth is about 70 years old.

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VENIZELOS URGED GREECE TO SEND MEN TO GALLIPOLI

Former Premier in Interview in Italian Paper Tells Some Inside History.

SURE ALLIES WILL WIN

Assumes Full Responsibility for Landing of Allied Forces at Saloniki.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—The American prints the following dispatch from Rome:

Former Premier Venizelos of Greece has sent to the Corriere Della Sera of Milan the following remarkable statement:

By Eleutherios Venizelos.

The people of Greece are unable to present to make any demonstration or to maintain publicly their opinions and principles. All meetings have been prohibited.

Nevertheless, the Hellenic soul is working in all lands in favor of Servia and with a vision of glorious Greece before it.

I remain unshaken in the conviction that final victory will be with the allies because I think that if the Central Powers could not win at the beginning, when they were well prepared and their forces intact, while the allies were only incompletely prepared, then they can no longer do so.

Greece Must Join Allies.

I am also convinced, despite everything, that the prosperity and safety of Greece lie in a union with the allies, who will not merely be victorious, but will have command of the sea, on which depends the future of Greece.

By continuing neutral Greece will not avert, but will only postpone a war against Bulgaria, and she will expose herself to the dangers of having to fight alone, a more powerful enemy.

The voyage of the peace ship will not be overtaken by the arrival of the International Women's Peace Federation, but will be made by the United States at this time would merely tend to decrease the prestige of this country as the possible final peace maker.

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FORD PEACE TRIP WILL BE FUTILE, OFFICIALS THINK

Europe Not Ready for Overtures Is View in Washington—Auto Manufacturer to Confer With Cardinal Gibbons.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—Henry Ford's plan to send peace delegates to Europe caused much comment, but officials of the Government, who are well informed on the present belligerent viewpoint, feel that the venture will fail.

Every message received at the White House and State Department from agents in the belligerent countries indicates that the time for peace is not at hand.

The reports have satisfied President Wilson and Secretary Lansing that any offer made by the United States at this time would merely tend to decrease the prestige of this country as the possible final peace maker.

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LIFE OF EASE FOR GERMAN PRISONERS IN FRENCH CASTLE

German Officers Live With Wives and Babies, Have Orchestra and War Drills.

ONE BUSY AT THE EASEL

Another, a Burgomaster, Is Drawing Plans for the Improvement of His Town.

Correspondence of the Associated Press.
LE PUY, Central France, Nov. 10.—German officers living in a historic chateau on the banks of the romantic Loire, much as they would live in some castle on the Rhine, some of them with their wives and babies, with German orchestra, German cooks, German menus, German was maps, German orchestras, German games, German drills—these were some of the things making it apparent today that France was living up to the complete letter and spirit of the international obligation of looking after the welfare of war prisoners.

The visit to this German officers' camp was made by the Associated Press correspondent through the courtesy of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, with two French army officers assigned from the Ministry of War to assist in showing and explaining all the details of the care given to German officers.

The ancient castle of Roche-Armeaud is the temporary home of a hundred or more of these German officers, gathered from the battle of Champagne and from all along the fighting line, and even from the remote German island of the South Pacific which has been taken by French landing parties. The castle dominates a sweep of 30 miles of valleys, hills and low mountains, much like the picturesque ranges of the Blue Ridge.

Officer Busy at Artist's Easel.

Entering the court of the castle was like passing into some vast German establishment, with German officers in smart uniforms standing in knots or stepping sharply across the court, and the circle surrounding windows crowded with smiling and good-natured faces of many other German officers. At the gate stood a broad-shouldered Saxon officer with an artist's easel and canvas before him, on which he was laying on the color of these dominating tents of the Loire Valley.

Photographs of all the imprisoned officers occupied the whole side of a wall in the reception room as one entered the place. Each photograph bore the name and regiment of the officer. And at the foot of the photographs were two which stood out from among these fighters—two faces of young German women, and beside them two tiny babies—war babies, born on French soil of German parents.

The full assemblage of German officers was seen for the first time as the party entered the gardens of the old chateau, for the officers seemed to have a taste which drew them into these beautiful gardens, finished in exquisite French taste, with flowers and foliage at every hand, and looking off into vistas of the Loire. There was not a sign of discontent about them; on the contrary they were a picture of a well-conditioned set of men, living a life of ease and even elegance. Their uniforms were spotless and trim.

There was a slight air of suspicion about the Germans as the French officers entered with the party. They raised their heads proudly and strutted away in pairs and groups, until soon all of them were lost in the maze of shrubbery. But while they were in sight no one of them failed to come to attention and give deferential military salute to the French officers escorting the party. The latter, too, were most careful not to permit the visitors to intrude upon the privacy of the German prisoners by asking them personal questions, taking pictures of them or treating them as though they were an exhibit. It was this the German officers seemed to fear.

Working on Engineering Plans.

In the living quarters of the castle the German officers were seen going through their customary avocations. The names of the occupants were on each door. As the French commandant knocked, the door was thrown open and the German captains stood like statues at military salute. One of them, a big, yellow-bearded man, in his eye looked the part of a young nobleman. They were smoking cigars and a box of cigars was open on the table. One of them was interested in a portrait he was painting. The German shawl showed traces of German colors. In the next room a wounded German officer labored to his feet, and despite his wound threw back his shoulders and came to the military salute. His wound was slight and he was now convalescing with every comfort about him. On his bed was carefully thrown a roll of fine blue prints and drawings, such as those made by army engineers. When he saw the visitors glancing at these plans he shook his head and smiled.

"No, they are not war plans," said he. "I am the burgomaster of Metz, and those are some of the plans for municipal improvements which were under my control. I continue to study them and they interest me greatly."

Along the long corridors were many other rooms, each with a group of five or more officers under command of a ranking officer as chief. The walls were covered with drawings, portraits and landscapes showing the artistic bent of these officers. Some of them had unique collections. One had a large collection of curious meerschaum pipes; another was fond of medallions and enamels and had a considerable collection.

The German officers continue to keep up their war maps, showing their own idea of the German sweep in Russia, Serbia and elsewhere, and with no restraint from the French officers. The maps were done with military care and precision. Small colored pins and flags showed the position of the German and allied forces. It was evident that Ger-

Francis M. Curlee Married to Miss Lucille Schraubstadter

Wedding Takes Place in Charles-ton, W. Va.—St. Louis Friends Surprised.



Mrs. Francis M. Curlee, formerly Miss Lucille Schraubstadter.

man fervor was still dominant as tie-shaped pins and flags showed the German's moving steadily forward in the various theaters of war.

Visit Women's Quarters.

The party turned to the rooms where the wives and babies of the German officers were quartered. It was the first floor of a substantial building on the court, up one flight of narrow stairs. In the first room stood a typical young German wife, a bonnet and good-looking, with flaxen hair done up in a coil. The furnishings were simple but good, and a large window threw a flood of sunshine on to a little cradle in which a baby was lying.

"It's nice you have such fresh air and sunshine for the baby," said the visitor. "Yes," replied the German wife dubiously, "but the room is very small and the soldiers make much noise underneath at night."

As the party withdrew to the great court of the castle, two German women appeared at their doorway and together marched out to the center of the court, up one flight of narrow stairs. In the first room stood a typical young German wife, a bonnet and good-looking, with flaxen hair done up in a coil. The furnishings were simple but good, and a large window threw a flood of sunshine on to a little cradle in which a baby was lying.

"We want to leave here," they said, "so we will go together and very firmly." We have addressed a letter asking that we be allowed to leave, and we have no answer."

German officers crowded to the windows as the two wives made their protest, and looked down intently at the scene. One of the visitors asked why the wives were there. They had come voluntarily, it was explained, wishing to be with their husbands, but now, after some months they wanted to leave. The mother of one of them, living in Switzerland, it was stated, had written a letter requesting that they be permitted to return to Germany. The application had been duly passed upon by the French military authorities, who concluded that it was not reasonable for prisoners who had voluntarily joined their husbands and remained in France a long time, obtaining such information, now to go back to Germany. And that being the decision of the higher authorities, it only remained for the commandant to carry it out.

The visitors were also led to the assembly rooms of the German officers, equipped much like club quarters, with gymnasium, games, billiards and musical instruments. A huge base violincello was pointed out as part of the German orchestra. The officers were sitting about at ease in chairs in the manner of clubmen. Many of them wore the iron cross conspicuously displayed on the left breast of their uniform.

"Do they retain the iron cross and all their decorations?" was asked.

"Yes," said the French commandant, "they retain everything, their decorations and their household goods—every thing but their arms, those they laid down at Champagne."

These well-dressed young college men at the game to get those "classy togs" by reason of the announcements of up-to-the-minute hats, sailors and clothing stores in each

FRIDAY POST-DISPATCH

WARSHIPS SENT TO COMMERCIAL MEETING IN SOUTH

Secretary Daniels Orders Big Fleet to Assemble for Congress at Charleston, S. C.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Nov. 25.—Secretary Daniels of the Navy has assigned a fleet of warships to remain here during the meeting of the Southern Commercial Congress, Dec. 13 to 17. The ships are: Battleships South Carolina, Utah, Michigan, Kansas and Florida of the First Division, and the Virginia, Georgia, New Jersey, and Rhode Island of the Third Division. The destroyers to remain here to take part in the demonstration will be the Reid, Lamson, Flusser, Preston, Walker, Monaghan, Perkins, Roe, Stettinius and Terry. The torpedo boats are the Dahlberg, De Long, Shubrick, Thornton and Tingey.

At this meeting of the Commercial Congress will make a feature of the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of peace in the United States, and as the nation is giving serious consideration to the question of preparedness, it was the expressed desire of President Wilson in approving the request for the presence of warships to have the people of the South become better acquainted with the navy, which is regarded as America's first and most important line of defense.

Individually, it will be the most important mobilization of the country's navy ever ordered at a South Atlantic or gulf port, from Norfolk to Tampa, Mexico.

Another feature of the Commercial

Congress meeting ordered by the national Government will be the illuminating talks on the work being done through the Public Health Service in behalf of health and sanitation in the rural districts. Surgeon L. L. Lumsden has been detailed by Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo, in whose department the Public Health Service is, to tell the congress of his work as expert in charge of the investigation of typhoid.

Brigadier-General William C. Gorgas, Surgeon-General of the United States Army and the man who made the Panama Canal a healthful place, will speak on what the army has done in the promotion of sanitation.

Many Families Lose Their Thanksgiving Day Dinners.

There was a number of thefts of turkeys and geese last night. The residence of T. H. Snyder, 4007 Washington boulevard, was entered and an eight-pound turkey, a five-pound chicken and provisions valued at \$12 stolen. Henry Elteman, 1001 St. Louis avenue, reported the disappearance of five geese from a coop.

Frederick Telhorst, 2312 North Twenty-second street, a butcher, reported the loss of five geese and three chickens.

Mrs. Emma Schwable, 1028 South Eighth street, lost five chickens, and Albert Schenckel, 2308 Jules street, lost two geese.

To Hold a Christmas Bazaar.

The Zion's Young Ladies' Bazaar, Bible Class will hold a Christmas bazaar and entertainment Saturday evening at the hall, at Twentieth and Benton streets. A sketch, "The Happy Day," will be presented. The proceeds will be given to the poor.

ADVERTISEMENT.

STATES WILL GET \$4,782,270 FROM SMITH-LEVER FUND

Final Allotment Made by Government for Co-operative Agricultural Extensions.

\$2,115,000 FROM U. S.

Southwest Gets Large Sums, Including Appropriations by Local Legislatures.

ALLOTMENTS TO STATES FROM SMITH-LEVER FUND

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—

FOLLOWING is the allotment by states of the Smith-Lever fund:

Alabama	\$158,300
Arizona	2,430
Arkansas	10,240
California	50,254
Colorado	33,005
Connecticut	21,761
Delaware	16,059
Florida	192,154
Georgia	108,573
Idaho	142,162
Illinois	104,409
Indiana	152,862
Iowa	229,878
Kansas	100,354
Kentucky	121,883
Louisiana	107,416
Maine	24,075
Massachusetts	254,537
Maryland	67,607
Michigan	104,580
Minnesota	127,721
Mississippi	61,990
Missouri	114,718
Montana	58,322

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Dog Gives Fire Alarm dog, by furious barking, gave the alarm on a fire in the home of Mrs. T. A. Touque, and perished in the flames before he could be rescued, although the fire was put out before any great damage to the property had been done.

When Mrs. Touque learned of the fate of the dog she became hysterical and had to be carried to the office of a physician for treatment.

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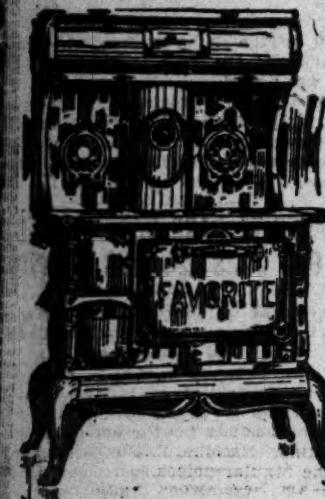
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Guaranteed to give absolute and unqualified satisfaction, or your money back. Made of best Michigan pig iron; cannot rust or burn through. Patent dampers, ventilated oven, double fireback.

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The \$45 Range
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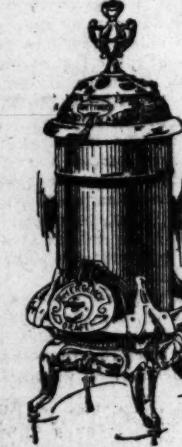
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This Heater is a remarkable bargain. A wonderful heat producer and fuel saver—equipped with cast down-draft in center of top—the pipe-top extends 2 inches above the top of the stove—handsomely trimmed in nickel.



Use the White Way and Open Ball Electric Light Fixtures with the New Mazda Lamps—Indoor and Outdoor Lighting.

You can BUY these FIXTURES complete with lamps, connected to existing wiring—35¢ each per month until paid for.

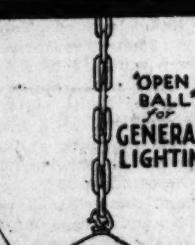
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Your name on open ball free.

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POLES CAPTURED BY FRENCH SEEM TO BE DELIGHTED

Divested of Prussian Uniform and Given Rosettes of National Polish Colors to Wear.

CHAMPAGNE CAPTIVES

German Prisoner Says Machine Guns Held Line, That French Worked With Precision.

Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.
PARIS, Nov. 15.—"Die Neu-angefangenen antirepublikanischen (Newly begun anti-republican) Aktionen, fall in?" The order given by tall German Sergeant-Major, rang out in the courtyard of an old barracks in the south of France. There was a lively scramble as 200 or more Germans responded to the command and lined up. The other 500 or 600 men, dressed in field gray, stood by, idly, watching the proceedings with interest—men from various regiments; braided Uhlan and Hussars, Guardsmen and Red Cross orderlies.

The new men are young and stockily built, ranging in age from 20 to 28 years, many from the best regiments of the empire. Their uniforms are in good condition, though for the most part the tunics buttons are missing, and many wear wooden clogs. Otherwise it is difficult to realize that they are prisoners of war. They respond to the commands given with precision and alacrity. French Guards are nowhere in sight. The commanding officer of the camp, pointing to the men standing at attention, says simply, "These are our prisoners from Champagne." And in other prison camps in the south of France are groups of the 20,000 men captured as a result of the recent great thrust forward.

Attack Not a Surprise.

A noncommissioned officer, an engineer in civil life, who was taken prisoner in the early battle, said:

"The French artillery began its violent bombardment 70 hours before the main attack. I have been on the western front since the beginning of the war, and nothing like the violence and accuracy of the French artillery fire can be imagined."

The greater part of our infantry was withdrawn, leaving only machine guns in the advanced positions. At night, we learned that the attack was to take place early next morning.

"We even learned the exact hour it was to take place, and expected reinforcements. But the curtain fire of the French and the terrible rafales probably prevented us from getting help. Then our telephone communications were cut, and we were isolated.

"The French attack passed us by without stopping. Even after the first wave passed we stuck to our positions and did not surrender until 2 o'clock in the afternoon."

Another noncommissioned officer, who had been made prisoner two days later, was asked for his impression of the fighting.

"The war is stronger than we were," he said.

"More men, more guns."

He nodded. "We are expected to hold a position with our machine guns," he continued. "The French had 10 to 1 more men, but they couldn't break through. They merely captured our advanced positions," he added aggressively. "Our machine guns hold the line."

Machine Guns Stopped French.

"Then you think your machine guns stopped the French in Champagne?"

"Yes."

"Was there much hand-to-hand fighting?"

"No. We mowed down as many as we could until we had exhausted our munitions, but they kept coming, so we retired to our pits and the French passed over us. It was not a brutal battle. The work of the French was more like a Kriegsspiel (sham battle), where everything seemed to be carried out as prearranged. Nothing went wrong with the French attack in our sector. That is the reason they carried our first positions."

The German prisoners taken in Champagne appeared to be a singularly fine lot of troops. They showed little or no sign of exhaustion. They seemed filled with a wholesome respect for French military achievement. They gave the impression of men who had surrendered after putting up a good fight, and the attitude of the French toward them and the excellent treatment they receive as prisoners testify that France appreciates their valor in action. There were few sullen men among them, and many smiled and spoke very freely when questioned in regard to the recent fighting. None of the men who talked seemed to be informed as to what was going on in the other fronts, and they maintained a studied silence when questioned about affairs at home.

Polish Prisoners Delighted.

Among the prisoners taken there were a great many Poles. For all the Polish contingents of Germany are now fighting on the Western front. The French authorities have interned them in separate camps and accord them preferential treatment. They are at once divested of their Prussian uniforms and dressed in blouses of gray wool, their caps are decorated with a band of red and white ribbon, the national colors of Poland, and nearly all the men wear a rosette of these colors on their tunics. Their delight at being taken prisoners is evident. For, in these camps, the Polish language is exclusively used and the men, or, rather, boys, for many are very young, are treated as considerately as possible. One man questioned spoke at great length of the joy of being able to speak in their mother tongue.

"It is the first time in our lives that we have dared to speak Polish above a whisper," and the tragedy of long years of subjection abounded in his eyes as he spoke.

PLAYGOERS' GUIDE

ST. LOUIS, Olympic, "The Little Minister," tonight, Saturday matinees and night. "What Every Woman Knows," tomorrow night.

"Bright Eyes," Park Opera Co.

"A Widow by Proxy," Samson, comedy by George S. Kaufman.

"Little Lord Fauntleroy," Friday and Saturday matinees and Friday night.

Yankee operatic tenor, heads bill.

Vaudeville, Grand, Arthur La

Vine and company heads bill.

Ruskin, Nature Pictures, Sku-

ber, Animal life of all sorts

and similar subjects.

"The Birth of a Nation,"

Garrison, Last week of Civil

War photoplay.

Burlesque, Standard, "Auto

Girlie."

Burlesque, Gaiety, "Manless

Isle."

Photoplay, American, "Mar-

tyrion, Alamo" and three

other films.

Photoplay, King's, "The Cow-

ard" and three other films.

Photoplay, New Grand Central,

Theatre, "The Woman Pays."

Photoplay, West End, Lydia

Victoria, "Mabel in Calumet

Fadden Out West."

Photoplay, Juilista, Geraldine

Farmer in "Carmen."

KANSAS CHICKENS BRING \$11,761,798 IN A YEAR

Report Shows Poultry Crop of State Equals Oats Production.

TOPEKA, Kan., Nov. 25.—State eggs and poultry sold from the farms of Kansas during last year brought to the sellers \$11,761,798, as shown in the report by J. C. Mohler, Secretary of the State Board of Agriculture. This is exclusive of the small flocks of chickens in towns and cities of the State, also exclusive of the chickens and eggs consumed by harvest hands and ministers. The poultry crop thus practically equals the oats crop of the State, the Secretary says.

The number of chickens on the farms of the State is estimated at 17,000,000. In 1896 the surplus of eggs and chickens marketed realized \$3,315,667; in 1906, \$8,541,153. Jewel County leads in the money-making from poultry, having held the record for 20 years with the single exception that in 1896 Marshall County outstripped her by a narrow margin.

Reno County was second in the current report, Washington third and Dickinson fourth.

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FRISCO COLLECTS OLD DEBT

Man Who Stole Ride 20 Years Ago Pays Back \$3.50.

MUSKOGEE, Ok., Nov. 25.—The St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad Co. has been paid \$3.50 for a ride of 50 miles taken by a man 20 years ago, for which he did not pay at the time.

"At that time I believe the fare was 3 cents a mile," the conscience-stricken man stated to the local ticket agent, Harry Carter, to whom he paid the money. "Anyway, that's the basis I'm paying you on, and I'm giving you interest at 6 per cent." The man did not give his name, but explained that when he took the ride he was running away from his home in St. Louis to try his fortune elsewhere.

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Italian Bark Arrived.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Nov. 25.—The Italian bark St. Joseph, Genoa for Philadelphia, went aground yesterday two miles from Brigantine beach. The St. Joseph, which carries a crew of 15, got off her course dodging German submarines and has been 71 days crossing the Atlantic.

All charges placed on December Accounts

Sonnenfeld's
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Pretty New Waists

Of Splendid Quality Crepe de Chine
In new embroidered and tailored effects, are now on display.
The high shades, such as maize, peach, Nile, flesh and white are especially prominent.

\$1.95

"Coat Headquarters"

Announces for Friday—



A Sale of the Popular Corduroys and Plushes

\$15 20

Very Special

42 Fur-Trimmed Velvet Suits at \$19

Samples and surplus from one of our most important makers. The same styles and qualities for which we were forced to ask \$35, \$40 and \$45 during the season. Equal values cannot be secured after the 42 are sold.

\$19

The New Dress and Street Hats As Ordained by Leading Fashion Authorities

If you would welcome a departure from the commonplace models so generally on display, we urge you to view the exclusive ideas shown here Friday.

\$10

Modish Flower-Trimm'd Turbans; Metal Lace Hats that are very stunning; Jet Hats; Maline Hats; New Feather Turbans, in plain and pheasant colorings, and a few fetching Satin Models.

"Chin-Chin" Sailors and various Turban conceptions will be especially prominent.

(Second Floor—Friday and Saturday.)

A Great Sale of Untrimmed Hats

Made of finest Lyons velvet, hatters' plush and panne. Do not confuse these high-class Sailors, Colonials, Turbans, Dress Shapes and Velours, with the hats you're ordinarily offered at \$1. Not a hat worth less than three times the sale price; most of them worth \$5.

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Tomorrow and Saturday—Full \$3.50 Value

THIS is an aristocratic looking patent leather

A Representative of McCall's

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A McCall Doll Pattern free to every little girl who calls Friday or Saturday. (Second Floor.)

Table d'Hote Luncheon 50c

served every day in the Restaurant from 11:30 to 2:30. Price 50c

Here is the delicious menu for tomorrow—

Blue Points on Half Shell
Barley Soup, Home Style, or
Assiette au Poisson
Choice of Fried Black Bass, Tartar Sauce
Poached Eggs, Helene
Vinaigrette Pot Roast
Hashed Brown Potatoes
Lettuce and Sugar Beet Salad
Choice of Egg Souffle, Delmonico
Ice Cream, Claret Ice
Coffee Tea Milk
(Sixth Floor.)

ECONOMY COLUMN

For Friday only. No mail or phone orders.

\$2 Chinchillas, \$1.50 Yd.

Chinchilla Coating, in navy, gray, black and white—\$2 in. wide—for women's and children's coats. (Second Floor.)

\$1 Camisoles, 59c
Camisoles of crepe de chine, trimmed with lace and net. Some have small lace sleeves. Come in flesh and white. (Square 7, Main Floor.)

Boys' Blouses, Special, 25c
In light percales, dark chevrons, solid and stripes. High military collars attached. All sizes. (Square 6, Main Floor.)

\$2 and \$2.50 Waists, \$1.65
Another lot of silk Crepe de Chine, flesh, blue, pink, navy and white—late trimmed or semi-tailored, or trimmed with scrolls of embroidery. Sizes 36 to 46 inch bust measurement. (Square 10, Main Floor.)

\$2.50 Sweater Coats, \$1.95
Misses' Sweater Coats, made of all-wool yarn, in Copenhagen, rose, cardinal and white—Byron collar and two pockets. Sizes 10 to 16 years. (Second Floor.)

Smoker's Stands, \$1.95
Made of birch, in neat, plain designs, finished in dull mahogany, 26 inches high—fitted with brass tray. Tray contains crystal bowl, cigar and match holder. Friday, \$1.95
(Square 17, Main Floor.)

Corsets, Special, \$1.00
Odd lots of Warner's and Thomson's Glove-fitting Corsets—medium and high bust, boned with rustproof steel, three pairs of strong supporters. Good size-assignment—regular \$1.50 and \$2 grades. (Second Floor.)

10c Wonder Records, 5c
A lot of 350 Little Wonder Phonograph Records, priced special for Friday only, at 5c each
(Fourth Floor.)

\$1 Silk Ties, 50c
Peter Thompson Ties, of good quality silk, full size, in navy only. While a limited quantity lasts, 50c each
(Main Floor.)

\$1.50 Rubber Mats, 95c
Extra heavy moulded Rubber Door Mats—size 18x26 in.—new, fresh rubber, soft and pliable—special Friday, 95c
(Fourth Floor.)

\$1.25 Kid Gloves, \$1
Children's silk-lined Kid Gloves, in tan—sizes 000 to 8—special for Friday, \$1
(Main Floor.)

\$1.50 Baby Dolls, 89c
Character Baby Dolls—unbreakable—dressed in long baby dress and cap.
(Fifth Floor.)

\$1 Safety Razors, 75c
Duxham Duplex Safety Razors, complete with razor blade holder and extra blades, in red leather folding case—special for Friday only.
(Main Floor.)

50c Flannelette Gowns, 35c
Children's Nightgowns, of extra heavy quality flannel-like, in pink and blue stripes double yoke. Sizes 4 to 14 years. (Second Floor.)

Carpet Sweepers, \$1.65
Bissell's "Crown Jewel" Carpet Sweepers, with good bristle brush, japanned trimmings. (Fifth Floor.)

Saucepans, Special, 37c
Five-quart size, made of steel, gray enameled, fitted with strainer and enameled cover. (Fifth Floor.)

25c O'Cedar Polish, 17c
Regular 25c bottle of O-Cedar Polish—a varnish food that cleanses and polishes floors, pianos and furniture, and excellent for dusting.
(Fifth Floor.)

Charge Purchases Balance of Month Payable January, 1916

Stix, Baer & Fuller

GRAND-LEADER SIXTH WASHINGTON SEVENTH & LUCAS SAINT LOUIS

Remnants \$2 to \$3.50 Broadcloths, Yd. 89c

Not a tremendously large lot, as we often have, so there is that much more necessity for coming early.

The black will, no doubt, sell out very quickly. There are many pieces to match, 54 inches wide, and the lengths are from 2½ to 5 yards.

(Square 9—Main Floor.)

**1/2-Price Sale****Of the Entire St. Louis Stock of The Coulton Importing Company of Japan**

ALL the fine merchandise of the quaint Japanese Shop, conducted in the Kingsbury Court Apartment, has been bought by us at great reductions and will be placed on sale tomorrow at half price and less.

THESE are exclusive novelties in Japanese handmade Evening Wraps, Robes, Mandarin Coats, Traveling Wraps, Dressing Sacques, Bed Jackets, etc., that are exceptionally suitable for holiday gifts; all of the quaintest colorings and individual styles.

\$17.50 to \$50 Semi-Made Robes—Designed by artists of Yokohama, of heavy silk crepe, Jap silks—can be used for evening gowns, kimonos and wraps—all elaborately embroidered—on sale in two lots, at

\$7.50 and \$12.50

Embroidered Silk Kimonos, Padded Silk Robes, Silk Mandarin Coats—At half the regular prices.

\$5 \$6.50 \$7.50

All other articles at proportionate reductions.

(Nineteenth Department—Second Floor.)

Artistic Needlework at Half Price

There is a great variety of Fancy Goods, all of which will be sold at about half the usual price, including Pin Cushions, Needle Books, Trinket Boxes, Purses, Bags of every description and other novelties.

10c 15c 25c 50c 75c \$1 \$1.50 \$2
A small lot of Japanese drawwork and hand-embroidered Linens, including Lunch Cloths, Napkins, Handkerchiefs and Lunch Sets at one-half and one-third the regular prices.

(Second Floor—Art Needlework Section.)

Quarter Sections of Axminster, Velvet and Brussels Rugs**at \$1.50 Ea.**

These are drummers' samples of Rugs, being just one-fourth the size of the regular 9x12-ft. Rugs, or 4 ft. 6 in. by 6 feet in length.

The qualities are identical to Rugs that usually sell at \$15 and upwards to \$30, in the 9x12-ft. size.

The patterns are very attractive, and while the lot of 200 lasts, you may choose at \$1.50 Each

(Fourth Floor.)

A Day of Special Prices in the Cut Glass Store

Our stocks of Cut Glass, so appropriate for Christmas gift giving, are in fine condition—ready for choosing, and special among them we mention:

Cut Glass Vases, \$2.98

Ten inches high—choice of several attractive designs and shapes—just 35 in the lot—regular \$4 and \$5 pieces.

\$12 Eight-Piece Water Sets, \$7.50

Consisting of 4-pint Pitcher—cut in an attractive floral design on heavy handmade lead blank—six Tumblers and 12-inch bevelled mirror Plateau. See the illustration.

\$4 Fern Dishes, \$2.98

Eight-inch Footed Fern Dishes, with metal lining; choice of two rich miter designs—regularly \$4 and \$4.50 each.

Handled Olive Dishes, 28c
6-inch size, in a deep, close miter chrysanthemum design, on clear polished lead blank.

(Fifth Floor.)

The November Sale

Offers for Friday additional lots of stylish, high-grade apparel at extreme price concessions. Notable among them are—

Superb Suits and Coats \$18.50

Garments That Sell Regularly for
\$27.50 to \$40 at

This group of Suits and Coats is one of the strongest values in the November Sale, and will repay your early attendance on Friday morning. At this attractive low price are Coats and Suits which embody the highest degree of style, quality and materials.

You may choose from broadcloths, plush, corduroy, wool velour, gabardine, serge, novelty mixtures and zibeline. Every size is represented.

"Schwarz" Suits and Coats, priced \$35 and \$49.75
Dresses for Afternoon and Evening wear, \$13.50 and \$16.50
Blouses are specially priced at \$2.75, \$3.98, \$5 and \$7.50
Skirts are specially priced \$3.98, \$4.95 and \$7.50
The November Sale of Furs provides unexampled saving opportunities.

(Third Floor.)

SUITS

for Large Women
Regularly \$39.75 to \$55

at \$25

The woman who needs an extra-size Suit and desires an extremely stylish one at a moderate price, should make her selection in this November Sale. We offer a splendid collection at very moderate prices.

Sizes up to 52-inch bust measurement.

(Third Floor.)

Extraordinary Values in Curtains

\$1.85 Pr., \$2.50 to \$3.50 Lace Curtains

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10c Bottle Oil, 5c
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Room-Lot Sale of Wall Paper

\$7.85 Room Lot, \$2.80

Containing 10 rolls Wall, 36 Crowns and 6 rolls Ceiling—enough to cover room 12x14x9 feet. Papers suitable for any room in the house. (We cut the Crown free.)

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Varnished Tile Wall Paper, for bathrooms and kitchens.

40c Leather Hides, 15c Roll

Come in tones of brown, gray and green, for dining rooms, halls and libraries.

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The very best Chiffon Broadcloths, in black and colors—many pieces to match. All 54 inches wide, and come in lengths up to 1½ yds each

Extra—Silk Samples, 10c and 15c

Traveling salesmen's samples of plain and fancy Silks and Satins, of all kinds—lengths up to ½ yard.

(Basement.)

Remnants 12½c Chambrays, 7½c Yd.

Amoskeag Chambray Ginghams, 32 inches wide—in cadet and light blue, gray and tan—special Friday, 7½c yard

12½c Flannelettes, 7½c yard
Remnants of heavy Amoskeag Mills Outing Flannelettes, in light colors.

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White Goods, 6½c Yd.

Remnants of 36-inch Pajama Checks, Madras, 27-inch India Linens and other white fabrics, selling regularly up to 12½c yard.

Horse Blankets, 1/4 Off Regular Prices

About 90 assorted Horse Blankets, with straps—in checks, stripes and solid colors—slightly soiled—priced regularly \$1.25 to \$3 each—choice at one-fourth off above prices.

Men's 65c Union Suits, 39c

Fleeced Union Suits, medium weight, in ercu. Long sleeves and ankle length. Sizes 24 to 44.

85c Underwear, 59c

Men's mixed-wool Shirts and Drawers, of good quality—double crotch—reinforced seams. Sizes 34 to 46.

Men's Flannel Shirts

Complete stocks of the very best flannels, in gray, tan, blue, priced \$1, \$1.25, \$1.5, \$1.75 and up to \$3.

Men's Jerseys at 22c

Made of wool mixtures, in gray, tan and black.

10c Yard for 25c to 35c Marquises

Come in lengths of 2 yards and upward. White, cream and Arabian color—plain tape edge or woven hemstitched effects and drawn-work borders. Quantity is limited.

Remnants of 10c, 12½c and 15c Curtain Materials, Yd., 5c

In good, desirable lengths, in various grades and makes.

Remnants of 22c to 25c to 35c Curtain Nets at 15c and 25c Each

Come in ½-yard lengths, with many pieces alike. Very desirable for vestibule doors, transoms, etc.

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Sale of New Winter Coats

\$3.98 \$5.00 \$7.98 \$10.00

\$60,000 Yearly Salary Is Earned.
CHICAGO, Nov. 25.—The \$60,000 a year paid to Leonard Busby as president of the Chicago Surface Lines Co. is commensurate with his services, according to the report of the board of supervising engineers made to the transportation committee of the City Council today. An effort had been made to reduce Busby's salary to \$18,000.

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Friday Bargains.

SPECIAL MEN'S SUITS

Values Up to \$20.00

BROKEN lots of Men's Suits—just one, two or three of a kind—in sizes 35, 36, 37, 38 and 39—values up to \$20.00—on sale Friday—to close—at

**Men's Balmacaans**

\$12, \$15 and \$18 Values

MEDIUM weight Overcoats in light and medium colors—fully craveted and shower-proof—a special purchase of \$12 to \$18 values—at

**Men's Wool Gloves**

Knitted Wool Gloves—in black, gray and brown—plain and fancy—values 75c values special for Friday

45c

Men's Handkerchiefs

White hemstitched Handkerchiefs—values 75c—would have to pay 10c elsewhere—on sale tomorrow, Friday, at

4c

Men's Coat Shirts

Laundered and soft cuffs—sizes 14 to 17—well made—actual 75c values at

33c

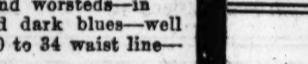
Men's Silk Mufflers

Beautiful silk gray and black. Beefeater Mufflers—large size—real 75c values tomorrow at

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Men's \$2 and \$2.50 Pants, \$1.50

Men's Pants—in cassimeres and worsteds—in grays, hair line stripes and dark blues—will have Union Label—sizes 30 to 34 waist line—\$2.00 and \$2.50 values—at

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A BARGAIN that parents will appreciate—special lots of Knicker Suits of well-made of neat cassimeres—Norfolk coats and full-cut knickers—worth much more than this price....

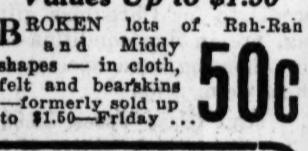
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\$4.00 and \$5.00 Values

SPLENDID Overcoats in chin-silk and tweeds—sized 3 to 10—Coats that regularly would sell at \$4.00 to \$5.00—Friday at

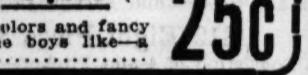
**Children's Hats**

Values Up to \$1.50

BROKEN lots of Rab-Ran and Middy shapes—in cloth, felt and beankins—for \$1.00—Friday at

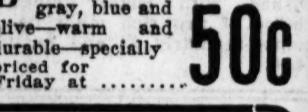
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WARM Winter Toques—gold colors and fancy combinations—the kind the boys like—special Friday bargain at

**Boys' Knickers**

NEW Fall patterns—made

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**Boys' Gauntlet Gloves**

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BRITISH SAILORS HELD IN HOLLAND HAVE FINE TIME

1500 of Royal Naval Brigade Who Retreated From Antwerp Interned for Year.

MARCH 10 MILES A DAY

Play Football, Give Operas and Knit for Soldiers at the Front.

Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch, AMSTERDAM, Nov. 15.—The daily life of the men of the British Royal Naval Brigade, who for more than a year have been interned in Holland at Groningen is described by a correspondent who has just returned from a visit to the camp. It will be remembered that this brigade was sent to the relief of Antwerp by the British authorities soon after the German occupation of Belgium, that it met with reverses and in its retreat down the River Scheldt entered Dutch territory and was promptly interned, the whole affair bringing much criticism upon Winston Churchill, then Lord of the Admiralty. Churchill, after his resignation from the Cabinet recently denied responsibility for the expedition and declared it was sent out by Lord Kitchener.

The correspondent says:

"The camp, H. M. S. Timberland, is on the immediate outskirts of the town of Groningen, a cluster of great black-and-white barracks-like wooden huts, easily accessible from the town on one side and no less exposed to the bitter winds which, at this time of the year, sweep the open country, on the other.

Plenty of Fresh Air.

"Abundance of keen, hard air, however, never did health men any harm; and many miles of good route marches, day after day, from 9 a. m. to near six days in the week, make excellent medicine. So the men are extremely fit. The sick list varies from one-half to three-quarters of 1 per cent, and a large proportion of the cases are the result of injuries on the football field.

"Football is, indeed, next to route marching, the chief preoccupation of the camp. In a competition promoted by the Groninger Dagblad, in which five Dutch clubs took part as well as three teams representing the various battalions of the brigade, the latter had practically to fight it out among themselves. Hawke Battalion (which had already knocked out Croydon beaten) beat Bow bow by the final tie after a thrilling game of a rather lucky 1-0. The question of international supremacy being thus satisfactorily settled, the brigade is now engrossed in an intercompany league series of its own.

1500 Held Prisoners.

"There are, of course, grumblers and 'slackers,' as there must be anywhere in any party of nearly 1500 men; and these write letters home telling of their miserable plight and of the inadequacy of their food. These letters sometimes find their way into print and annoy the rest of the camp even more than they do the Dutch authorities. The food is not inferior, and the men are more comfortable and as a whole better off—except for the consciousness that they are prisoners—than are the new soldiers on Salisbury Plain.

"So far from demanding sympathy, the camp takes pride in its independence and self-sufficiency. Parcels of 'comforts' and other gifts from friends outside to individuals are a private matter and are undoubtedly always welcome; but for the camp itself, as a unit, it has nothing to ask of England. Old books or newspapers for its library and reading rooms are acceptable; but, beyond that, it only appeal to people at home is: 'Keep your money and help for the men in the firing line. We're all right.'

"If you open a door at random in one of the long ranges of huts you may come on a rehearsal of the 'Timber-town Follies,' or on one of Mrs. Oakley's knitting classes, with a dozen members of the brigade profoundly immersed, behind barricades of khaki and navy blue wool, in knitting socks for the men at the front or in the fleet. Or you may find yourself in the bootmaker's shop, in the great recreation room at one end of which is the church, in the well-equipped gymnasium or in the offices of the Camp News, a daily typewritten, manifold broadsheet, and Camp Magazine, a monthly illustrated periodical, which has now issued its seventh number.

Have Operatic Society.

"Then there are the Operatic Society, with a Gilbert & Sullivan repertoire; the dramatic club, which has given 'A Pair of Scoundrels' elsewhere than at the camp; with amateur success; the Timber-town Orchestra and the band; and banjo-and-mandolin bands, and there are the woodworking shops, where surprisingly good work is done, and the various firms (as any four or five workers who associate themselves together style themselves) are kept profitably busy on orders for the picture frames, jewel boxes and other knick-knacks which they make, of oak or satinwood, and which will in the future be prized as souvenirs of the days when British soldiers were interned in Holland during the Great War. Above all, perhaps, there is the canteen—"dry," of course—which, since it was taken over from the local contractor, has produced the chief part of the funds necessary to run the various organizations which cannot be made self-supporting.

"The University of Groningen has thrown all its lectures open to members of the brigade who care to attend. There are numerous classes at the camp for teaching languages and so forth, as well as frequent lectures. The Government of Holland has, moreover, permitted men to go away from the camp to take regular employment elsewhere, provided that so doing they do not compete with native labor. A few men already have regular work in Groningen. In these cases a portion of the men's wages is given them weekly, while the rest is paid to the Dutch War Office, there to accumulate until their liberation.

TWO KILLED IN NORTH CAROLINA WRECK.
SALISBURY, N. C., Nov. 25.—C. E. Hall and H. G. Smith of Charlotte were killed and 10 other passengers injured here last night when a Southern Railroad passenger train crashed into a special train in the yards here. All of the injured, among them O. Max Gardner, candidate for the Democratic nomination for Lieutenant-governor, were from Charlotte.

TWELVE THANKSGIVING PARADES.
LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Nov. 25.—In celebration of Thanksgiving day, Gov. George W. Hays yesterday paraded 12 convicts from the State penitentiary. Three of the men were serving long terms for murder.

COPPER COMPANY INCREASES WAGES.
HOUGHTON, Mich., Nov. 25.—The Quincy Copper Mining Co. yesterday announced an increase of wages of its employees of seven and one-half percent.

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Special Thanksgiving Program VICTOR MOORE in "OHMIE FADDEN OUT WEST"
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Corduroys, zibelines, cheviots, wales and plaids; styles that are taken from coats that

Promoter Is Sent to Prison.
NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Charles T. Blake, a promoter, convicted of using the mails to defraud, yesterday was sentenced to two and a half years' imprisonment. Blake was convicted of obtaining large sums of money to build a railroad, and of failure to return the money when the railroad plan was abandoned.

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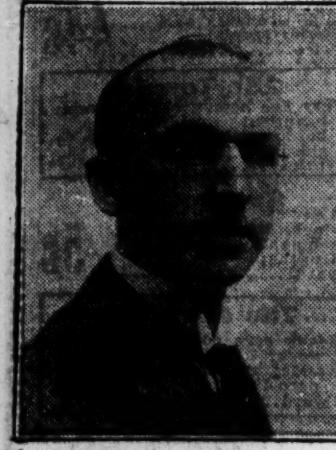
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BRITISH QUAKERS AID FAMILIES IN FRENCH WAR ZONE

Valley of Marne First Place Invaded by Society of Friends Who Oppose War.

PORTABLE HOUSES PUT UP

Clothing Sent Through Clearing House—Spread of Disease Prevented—Seeds Distributed.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—The Quakers of Great Britain whose creed is opposed to all war and the bearing of arms, have undertaken a distinctive line of relief work in the performance of which they sacrifice none of their religious beliefs while fulfilling what they feel is their duty to their country and to humanity. It is the saving of the civil population in the war zone of France, where thousands of families have been made destitute by the exigencies of battle, an account of which is given in the New York Evening Post by William W. Comfort, who represents the American Quakers on the War Victims' Relief Committee, through which the work is carried on.

Some Quakers Enlisted.

There were some Quakers, indeed, it is said by the writer, who compromised their religious beliefs to the extent of enlisting in the army. But to the great bulk of the Quakers their work appealed more strongly, they have supported it.

It is a work of service and money. As to the nature of this work, Comfort writes:

"The valley of the Marne, from which the wave of invasion had just receded was selected as the region most in need of aid. Much of this territory had been twice fought over on the German advance and retreat, and some villages had been bombarded by Germans and French alike. Local conditions were found by the first group of visitors to vary greatly.

One village had suffered slightly, whereas its neighbor had been almost completely destroyed and its inhabitants rendered destitute and homeless. The farms, stocks and crops were in most cases ruined. The able men, of course, were gone. The old people, the women and the little children were living in cow stables, cellars and improvised shacks. Children were being born in the most deplorable surroundings.

"The method of village relief is as follows:

"A visiting party, working with the Mayor, the priest and the local Council, if such exists, tabulates the population by families, together with the amount of aid, if any, which is required. This aid is given with the approval of the local authorities, who know family conditions and merits. From the big warehouses in London, through the clearing house in Paris, are constantly sent forward great supplies of clothing, blankets, medicines, furniture, seeds and agricultural implements. About 200 men and women are engaged, mostly British Friends. They are doctors, nurses, teachers, architects, sanitary experts, artisans and craftsmen, possessed of strong constitutions, unbounded enthusiasm, unfailing sympathy, and the ability to use French.

Make Moveable Houses.

"Architects and carpenters have been contracted for a year to five hundred moveable houses of one to five rooms for the homeless. These have been braced up against walls and chimneys, and given needed utensils for housekeeping. Others have given seed for gardens and fields and sent planting and reaping implements, in order that this year's harvest might not fail. They have visited the sick and prescribed for them over a large area, with the help of motor conveyance. They have cleaned out pest-holes, and prevented the outbreak of typhoid by modern sanitary measures. They early organized in Châlons a maternity hospital of 60 beds for the expectant mothers among the emigres of the department.

"All this work has gone on 15 to 30 miles behind the present lines which leave 10 departments of France in German hands. There has been much red tape to unwind with the French civil and military authorities, owing to the precautions which had to be observed in the military zone. On the whole, the co-operation between individuals of different nationalities and different creeds has been splendid; all jealous bickerings have been banished between men and women whose sole desire was to put a prostrate population physically and morally upon its feet. Every possible facility has been granted by the French authorities, and the leaders of the relief work have been received and warmly thanked by the Government committee for the relief of the devastated provinces.

"Every pound of money is looked at twice before it is spent, and, as the time of the workers is given freely, the funds go directly for supplies and for the living expenses of those in the field. Over \$200,000 has been raised, and something more than half of that sum expended. As much as possible is kept back in order to meet the demand for similar work in France and Belgium, which stretches way without limit into the future.

"Now Quakers Aid. The work here described is exclusively among the ruined civil population, from whom all that usually makes life worth living has been removed. The Quakers have also financed two other undertakings: one the ambulance unit near the front line between Dunkirk and Ypres, working under British sanction and military authority; the other engaged in practical work among the Belgian refugees in the concentration camps. A great many helpers have offered their services in England for the work on the Continent, but many are unable to meet the vigorous requirements of the committee."

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54-inch best Coating Serge, strictly all-wool; extra weight; wide wale; for coats or suits	95c
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\$1.00	59c
\$2.50 Blanket Robes, \$1.69	59c
Blanket cloth of a very good quality, in big assortments of colors and patterns.....	59c
\$1.69	59c
\$2.50 Kimonos, \$1.29	59c
Kimono of florentine silk, also crepe de chine, in raglan and elastic fitted models.....	59c
\$1.29	59c

(Fourth Floor.)

Special in Sheets

100 dozen 8x10-inch Bleached Sheets, all perfect, \$1.00 quality. No starch or dressing in these; round thread cotton, close weave; not over 12 to a customer.....

65c

(Second Floor.)

Blankets

Small lots to close out Friday, all perfect, only a little soiled from display use, hardly noticeable.

60c Sheet Blankets, large size, at.....

45c

75c Gray Cotton Blankets.....

50c

125 White or Gray Cotton Blankets.....

95c

150 Fancy Figured Blankets.....

81.19

200 White Woolnap Blankets.....

81.45

375 Plaid Woolen Blankets.....

82.08

400 Jacquard Woolen Blankets.....

82.98

475 White Lamb's-wool Blankets.....

83.29

500 White Lamb's-wool Blankets.....

83.65

600 12x4 White Lamb's-wool Blankets.....

84.50

Special in Sheets

100 dozen 8x10-inch Bleached Sheets, all perfect, \$1.00 quality. No starch

**CORPUS CHRISTI FINISHING
CAUSEWAY 8400 FEET LONG**

City Water system Being Extended by 80,000 Feet of 20-Inch Cast Iron Main.

CORPUS CHRISTI, Tex., Nov. 25.— Early December probably will see the completion of two great public works of interest to Corpus Christi. One is the causeway spanning Nueces Bay and connecting the mainland of Nueces and San Patricio counties. The other is the improved municipal water system of Corpus Christi.

The new causeway is \$400 feet long and will afford convenient communication between the rich agricultural sections of Southern Texas. Great commercial advantage is expected to result from the completion of this causeway.

The city water system is being improved by the construction of 80,000 feet of 20-inch castiron mains to bring water from the Nueces River, 10 miles away. A new plant, with mod-

ern filtration and purification facilities, has been constructed at the Nueces River station and the pumping power has been augmented. The old mains, with a capacity of 600,000 gallons every 24 hours, will be retained in service as an auxiliary system, thus guarding against the water shortage that might result from a breakdown of the new system.

\$2,250,000 in Red Cross Seals. WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—Proceeds of sales of Red Cross Christmas seals which are devoted to the study and prevention of tuberculosis in the United States promise this year to exceed all records. This year's supply—\$25,000,000—seals—is 80 per cent greater than last year's, and should net \$2,250,000.

Two Children Burn to Death. MERRILL, Wis., Nov. 25.—Meta Arnold, 11 years old, and Herman, 6, were yesterday to death at Bloomingville, Wis., when the home caught fire, probably from an overfurnished lamp.

ALABAMA HAS A DEFICIT OF MORE THAN \$2,000,000

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Nov. 25.—Alabama has a deficit of \$2,236,877.34, and Gov. Henderson, in acquainting the public with this fact, has asked authorization of a bond issue of \$1,500,000, as provided in the Constitution amendment to be voted on Jan. 18, 1916.

The Governor points out that current expenses of the State for October were \$107,496.18 less than for the like period of last year, and says that he is willing to handle a floating indebtedness of \$300,000 during his administration, so that the proposed bond issue will serve to distribute the State's financial obligations over a period of years and need not worry the Government.

There must be either additional taxes levied, the Governor adds, or a lowering of administrative expenses, and he promises to see that the expenses are cut.

NATION'S CAPITAL BECOMES CAMP OF ARMED WATCHMEN

Extra Precautions in Government Buildings, Particularly That of State, War and Navy.

GUARDS WALK BEATS

Visitors Scrutinized and in Case of Suspicion Are Searched, as Are Any Packages Carried.

By Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.
WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—Any fanatic who may have designs on the public buildings of the national capital will meet with a warm reception if he attempts to damage those structures. Orders have been issued by officials to tighten up the protection systems. Watchmen have been ordered to arm themselves and to redouble their vigilance.

Extra precautions were taken following the attempt by Holt, the German fanatic, to destroy the Senate end of the Capitol, and who the following morning shot J. Pierpont Morgan in his home on Long Island. The precautionary measures then adopted still are in effect, but since then officials have virtually doubled them.

The Capitol is now more strongly guarded than at any previous time since 1861. Two years ago House economists made a fight to reduce the number of men in the Capitol police force. Since the Holt outrage, the present force has been largely increased.

Several of the entrances are kept closed all the time. The other doors are guarded by one or more uniformed officers. Instead of devoting their time principally to napping and reading light literature, the Capitol policemen now must keep constant vigil.

Watchmen Increased and Armed. Recently the custodian of the State, War and Navy Building adopted a rule requiring all persons who have business in the building after the regular closing hour to go to the main entrance on the Pennsylvania avenue end and give an account of themselves. When the uniformed guards of the building gather at the main entrance at the time the watches change they make a formidable showing. All of them are comparatively young men and appear to be capable of putting up a strong fight.

Originally the watchmen in this building were supposed to be armed. Various offices in the War, State and Navy Departments contain valuable papers and drawings. Nevertheless no attempt was made to enforce the rule requiring watchmen to arm, and it became a dead letter. Now the men must be armed and are required to walk beats, instead of remaining in one place. There always is one man on each floor, and usually several at the main entrance. In addition other men walk beats on the various floors of the building.

Before the closing hour, a watchman is stationed in the large open court of the building, with instructions to watch the two entrances and to search every person whose appearance is in any way suspicious, and more especially if the person is carrying a package.

Even persons passing through the court, en route elsewhere, who are carrying newspapers, are stopped and questioned. The order came from Col. William W. Harts, U. S. A., the engineer officer who supervises superintendents of public buildings and grounds.

The only inference which can be drawn from the action of Col. Harts and other officials in ordering the special precautions, is that confidential information has reached them as to possible attempts to destroy Government property, although officials will not admit that any such information has been received.

Following the special precautions taken by the Washington Terminal Co. to guard the tunnels and other approaches to Union Station, the orders to building watchmen are regarded as highly significant. Notwithstanding their extra precautions officials of the Terminal Co. continue to deny that they have any knowledge of specific threats having been made to damage transportation facilities between the north and south.

PROVIDENT SOCIETY OPENS FOUR BRANCHES FOR NEEDY

These District Officers Will Have Emergency Supplies—Central Office Still Maintained.

The St. Louis Provident Association has opened four district offices to supply the needs of destitute people besides the central office at 2221 Locust street.

Each of the outlying districts will carry emergency supplies. Requests for aid are to be made to the nearest agency.

The district offices in addition to the central one are: Bremers district, 811 Mallinckrodt street; Mabel Ferguson, agent; Ashland district, 3024 North Newstead avenue; Mary E. Pulliam, agent; Manchester district, 430 Gibson avenue; Miss Ruth A. Hitch, agent and south district, 4008 South Broadway; Mrs. Charlotte Bixby, agent.

DRESS UP

Clothing doesn't make the man, but it helps our social and commercial standing to be well dressed; therefore, watch the merchants' announcements in next Friday's Post-Dispatch for the latest in clothes, shoes, hats and haberdashery.

Fall Is Fatal to Women. Mrs. Mary Smith, 40 years old, of 303 Sullivan avenue, died at her home about 7 o'clock last night, two hours after she had fallen and cut her scalp in a fainting spell at Grand avenue and Page boulevard. Mrs. Smith was revived in a nearby drug store following the fainting spell and was taken to her home, where she was attended by a physician. An inquest will be held tomorrow.

SHOT STOPS MAN ACCUSED OF STEALING AUTOMOBILE

Tells Police He Bought Machine on Nov. 15, Which Was 2 Days Before It Was Taken.

Joy V. Allison of 4912 Page boulevard recognized his stolen Ford runabout when it was driven past his office at 1514 Pine street yesterday afternoon. In an automobile he pursued the driver to 3000 Locust street, where the runabout was stopped, and there learned that Dr. J. D. Robinson of Belleview,

Mo., had bought it for \$200 from a man who gave the name of Herbert F. Foster, 5537 Von Venet avenue.

Allison and Dr. Robinson, with police and detectives, went to the Von Venet avenue address and found for Foster ran out of the back door, leaped over the fence and tried to escape. A detective who fired a shot in the air while pursuing Foster, a search of Foster's house revealed automobile tools of all kinds, laprobes, inner tubes and other articles believed to have been stolen.

A woman, 25 years old, who said she was Foster's wife, was also arrested.

Foster denied stealing the automobile, saying that he had bought it Nov. 15, which was two days before it was stolen from Allison.

COPPLE ARRESTED AFTER FIRE

Sam Antinora, 35 years old, and his wife, Katherine, 28, were arrested after a fire at their home, 5217 Shaw avenue, at 11:35 o'clock last night.

The couple were away when the fire started. Three policemen who broke into the house to awaken the occupants found a number of oil-soaked rags in

one room and all of the bedroom furniture piled in one corner.

POMPEIAN OLIVE OIL

Always Fresh
Why does your doctor prescribe Pompeian Olive Oil? For the simple reason that he advises Certified Milk.

The STANDARD IMPORTED OLIVE OIL

\$2.50 Silk Petticoats

Masseline Petticoats, with full flounce; all seasonable shades; special.

\$1.25 Flannelette Kimonos

Women's flannelette Kimonos, extra heavy flannelette; in many pretty floral designs; special.

88c

Jewelry and Silverware Engraved Free.

Penny & Jentes
BROADWAY & MORGAN ST.
St. Louis BARGAIN CENTER
We Give & Reward SECURITY STAMPS

COATS-SUITS-DRESSES FOR WOMEN & MISSES
MORE THAN 3000 GARMENTS IN THIS SALE--VALUES TO \$15

Coats

up-to-the-minute in style are offered in this great event at prices that make them values beyond compare. They are of unusual distinction and smartness—in many models. \$7.75 Some are cut full circular flare, others are belted. They are richly lined and warmly interlined. Tailoring and finish are as amazing as the styles shown: \$15 values; at the low price of \$7.75.

DRESSES offered in this sale Friday at the remarkably low price of \$7.75.

THESE charming frocks are beautifully made of silk, satin, serice, crepe, etc. Many are Grecian crepe combinations. Some are lined with metal embroidery, others with much of fur. Very special at \$7.75.

WONDERFULLY clever styles in smart new afternoon evening theater, party, etc. street frocks, etc. duvelles of high-priced models. Special purchases we place these wonderfully dressed on sale at \$7.75.

REMNANTS Dress Goods and Silks

95c-59c-39c-19c

Main Floor and Basement

WASH GOODS

7½c Dress Prints; thousands of yards in remnants at

10c Remnants of Cotton Corduroy Suiting;

12½c Remnants of Plain Blue Chambray Madras;

32 inches wide

10c Outing Flannelette;

15c Comforter Cretonne;

36 inches wide; warmest fast colors; per yd.

30c Lining Sateen in black and other colors; extra fine quality; full yard

20c wide

95c

95c Head Scarfs

Silk Crepe de Chine and Silk Scarfs in plain color, radium and figured patterns.

\$1.25 Cape Gloves

In white, tan and black; 1-clasp, 1-pair,

Keswick Silk Thread

Machine silk in black, white and 30 other wanted shades. 2 spools for 5c

Boys' \$5 Suits & O'coats

Wool Suits for boys, 6 to 16 years; all colors, incl.

The Overcoats are all-wool chin-chillas; sizes 2½ to 10 years; in all colors. Larger Coats for boys, 9 to 16 years, in convertible collar, belted back, etc., all colors

\$2.80

Boys' \$2.50 Suits and O'coats

Norfolk style coats, sizes 6 to 16 years. Overcoats are 3 to 9 years, in button-up-neck belted wool materials; all shades; at only

\$1.35

50c Sheets

Made from heavy Bleached Sheet; torn, hemmed and ironed; size 8½x8; special price

44c

25c Towels

Very fine hemstitched Towels; beautiful colored borders; size 12x18; special price

15c

5c Sheeting

40-inch, fine unbleached remnants of good lengths;

5c

75c Art Linen

Heavy scrum color for crochet work; 36 inches wide; warranted all pure linen; yard

43c

1000 Pairs LACE CURTAINS on Sale FRIDAY!

Nottingham Net Curtains—2½ yards long, white or narrow borders; worth 75¢; Friday, pair

Needham Net Curtains—2½ yards long, white or ecru; good patterns; worth \$1.15; Friday, pair

75¢

\$2.25 Rope Portieres

Made of heavy velour cords; 8 ft. on top; 6 ft. on bottom; or mixed colors; worth \$2.25; Friday

\$1.50

15c Curtain Scrims

In white, ecru, blue, yellow, orange, red, etc.; borders for curtains and draperies; worth 15¢; Friday, yard

10c

15c Stereo Pipe

Heavy blue steel, strongly built; size 8c

\$1.45

15c Parrot Cage

Sheets long, narrow steel, strong, full-size D handle

35c

15c Heavy Stereo

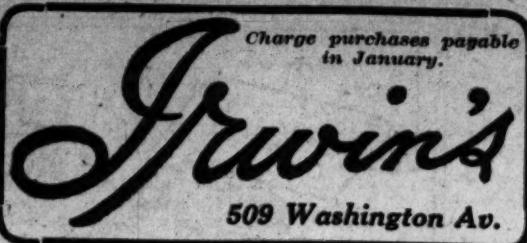
Steel body, rich nickel, ornamental; an unmatched value

\$2.95

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\$2,250,000 in Red Cross Seals. WASHINGTON, Nov. 2

Extra Salespeople
Have been engaged to help wait on you.



Charge purchases payable in January.
Come Early
Some of the lots are small and will not last long.

After-Thanksgiving Sale

Of Our Entire Stock

Plush Coats, Corduroy Coats, Zibeline Coats, Dresses, Suits, Waists Skirts, Furs, Millinery

At $\frac{1}{3}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$ Former Prices

Great Sale Begins Friday Morning at 8:30 Sharp

Coats Slashed

28 Belted Coats in dark colors—small sizes only—regular \$10 values—for only....	\$5.00
\$15.00 full-lined Corduroy and Zibeline Coats—with broad belts and fur collars—special at.....	\$7.95
\$20.00 and \$25.00 full-lined Plush and Zibeline Coats—with fur collars—in this sale \$10.90	



Suits Slashed

24 Suits—odds and ends—\$19.75 values—on sale at.....	\$5.00
Just 63 Suits—values to \$22.50—on sale at	\$12.50
Just 117 Suits—values up to \$30.00—on sale at	\$16.50
Just 93 Suits—values up to \$45.00—on sale at	\$22.50

Dresses Slashed

37 Dresses—in combination silk and serge, all serge and crepe de chine—worth up to \$12.75	\$3.00
Dresses that formerly sold up to \$15.00—on sale... .	\$6.90
Dresses that formerly sold up to \$27.50—on sale... .	\$12.50

Waists Slashed

159 Voile and Organdy Waists—long sleeves—values up to \$1.25... .	49c
275 Chiffon and Crepe de Chine Waists—\$2.95 values—at.....	\$1.75

Skirts Slashed

56 Skirts—odds and ends—values to \$6.00.....	\$1.50
Skirts—values up to \$6.90.....	\$3.50
Skirts—values up to \$8.00.....	\$5.00
Skirts—values up to \$10.90.....	\$6.90
Skirts—values up to \$16.50.....	\$9.90

Petticoats

\$1.95 Silk Jersey Top Petticoats—on sale at.....	\$1.00
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100 Trimmed Hats, \$1.00

In Other Words, 100 \$3.50 and \$5.00 Hats Tomorrow at \$1.00 EACH

They're smart Hats (no two alike); just the styles most women want for general wear. Silk velvet or hatters' plush, trimmed with flowers, feathers, ostrich and furs. They will go quickly at.....

Any Untrimmed Hat Your unrestricted choice at **69c**
Up to \$1.50 Flowers and Feathers **29c**
Offering a good selection of desirable novelties for trimming.

Values are to \$4.50.

Always IRWIN'S

YOU MUST KNOW

716 Washington Av.

Milfords

W. M. STERNBERG, Manager.

716 Washington Av.

Here's Another After-Thanksgiving Special

Made possible by the immense transaction just closed yesterday by our manager, Mr. W. M. Sternberg.

325 Winter Coats, \$5.98

Worth Up to \$12.50—Friday at . . .

Don't Fail to Look for the Two Other Extraordinary Specials Offered Elsewhere in This Paper

YOU MUST KNOW MILFORDS

"ED" COCHEMS TO SOLICIT FUNDS HERE FOR BELGIUM

Former Football Coach Later Will Make Canvass in Northwest for Clothing.

BIG CAMPAIGN PLANNED

Commission Announces Nation Wide Appeal for Supplies for Destitute.

Edna May to Get \$100,000 for Charity by Acting for Movies

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—It was announced today by the Vitagraph Company of America that Mrs. Oscar Lewisohn, formerly Edna May, the actress, had signed a contract to pose for one motion picture for \$100,000, which sum will turn over to Red Cross and other charities. According to the company, this figure is the highest ever paid to one person for an appearance in a single picture.

Edna May was married to Oscar Lewisohn in June, 1907. Since then she has not appeared upon the stage in a professional capacity. Mr. and Mrs. Lewisohn arrived in New York on the St. Louis from Liverpool, Sept. 12 last.

"The Belle of St. Louis" was Edna May's greatest hit.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Ed Cochems, former football coach at the St. Louis University, one of the field agents of the commission for relief in Belgium, and will be in St. Louis in a few days on business of the organization. He goes there from time to the Northwest to make a canvass for clothing of all sorts to be sent to Belgium.

Oscar S. Straus made public today in behalf of the commission the first appeal in a campaign for clothing, which will cover the whole of the United States. The need of clothing in Belgium is so great—the present supplies on hand will be exhausted before Christmas—that it is of the utmost importance, say Straus, for America to respond.

In an effort to make the appeal nation-wide, the various state committees, which were created a year ago to expedite the shipment of grain and other food to starving Belgium, have been revitalized and set to work on what is considered an equally pressing problem, the supply of clothing for the winter.

"The work of the Commission for Relief in Belgium," said Straus today, "is the greatest work ever performed in the history of nations by an unofficial body. Everything it does is done with the consent of all the European belligerents. Our ships and our transports protected on every ocean, our barges, which run through the canals of Belgium and Northern France, have the open doors."

"Greatest Work in History." "When this great American body was first organized, it was thought that the United States, the only great neutral nation, would carry the burden of Belgium. Although we Americans are making money, we did not respond, however. We have given only 7 cents per capita to Belgium; New Zealand, which has also to bear its share in the burden of the war, has given \$1.25 per capita.

"Although these Belgians would be glad enough to get secondhand clothing, the commission cannot accept such contributions, because the strict sanitary laws of the Government require that whatever supplies must be imported makes it impossible to distribute such clothing. We are, therefore, appealing for new clothing, for money with which to buy it, or, best of all, for the material from which the people can make the clothing themselves. Hundreds of thousands of them are without work and need it badly. The commission has several workshops in the districts where the inhabitants are given just this kind of employment and are paid for it. We, therefore, appeal particularly for piece goods."

"In many cases, those who need the clothing are able and willing to pay for it, and to them the commission allows a little extra marking, as in the case of foodstuffs, a small profit which is turned into the benevolent fund and used to buy more supplies."

What Commission Needs.

The needs, as estimated by the commission, are:

For men—200,000 pairs of shoes, ranging from No. 7 to No. 11; 200,000 shirts, 200,000 pairs of drawers, 200,000 undershirts, 200,000 jerseys or sweaters, 400,000 pairs socks (wool), 350,000 pairs trousers, 200,000 coats, 150,000 overcoats, 100,000 scarfs.

For women—200,000 pairs of shoes, ranging from No. 3 to No. 8; 400,000 waists or blouses, 200,000 pairs of undergarments, 150,000 vests or underbodices, 400,000 pairs stockings (wool), 180,000 petticoats or underskirts, 200,000 skirts, 240,000 shawls or woven coats or cloaks.

For girls—100,000 pairs of shoes, 200,000 waists or blouses, 100,000 pairs of undergarments, 200,000 underskirts, 200,000 petticoats, 300,000 frocks, 400,000 pairs stockings (wool), 200,000 coats or capes for schoolchildren, 100,000 woolen caps, bonnets.

For boys—100,000 pairs of shoes, 400,000 shirts, 200,000 jerseys or sweaters, 200,000 combination or union suits, 200,000 pairs trousers, 200,000 coats, 100,000 coats and capes for schoolchildren, 400,000 pairs stockings (wool), 300,000 caps or hats.

For small children and babies—45,000 pairs shoes and 200,000 woolen garments; 100,000 blankets are also needed.

\$5.50 Detroit and Return, \$5.50

Nov. 27 via Clover Leaf Route; good in standard sleeping car.

JNO. D. DAVIS PRESIDENT THE LINDELL STORE IT PAYS TO PAY CASH WASHINGTON AVE. & 6th ST.

Phones Olive 4140
Central 3780

Orders collected by Mail or Phone

Thrifty Women Have Learned the Wisdom of Shopping in This Fast-Growing Section

Friday We Will Show

- New Style Suits—
at \$16.50
- New Style Suits—
at \$19.50
- New Style Suits—
at \$24.50
- New Style Suits—
at \$29.50

And Up to \$75.00



Hundreds of New Coats

\$10.00	\$12.50
\$19.50	\$24.50

And Up to \$75.00

(Lindell—Women's Wear—Third Floor.)

Special for Friday Only Women's 85c Union Suits, 55c

This should make Friday a banner day in our Women's Knit Underwear Section. 85c after 10% off. Fine fine ribbed cotton, faced and un-faced, silk tape and elastic. Made from finest made and finished garments. High neck, long sleeves. Dutch neck with elbow ruffles. Available in regular or extra sizes.

Ankle length, regular or extra sizes. Special for the one day. (Main Floor.)

98c Silverware Quadruple plated, such as Mustard Jars, Salt and Pepper, Vases, Bonbon Dishes and other dainty tableware. (Main Floor.)

55c Guaranteed Alarm Clocks 200 hours to keep running for one year from date of purchase. (Main Floor.)

95c Celebrated Naiad Brassieres Made of extra fine net and fitted with pair of guaranteed dress shields; sell 95c regularly. (Main Floor.)

25c Size Flower Drop Rieger's Perfume 200 bottles of Rieger's Flower Drop perfume, all in original boxes, offered special, as long as they last. (Main Floor.)

Laundry Soap Combination 5 pounds of Chase's Bar Soap, Powder, 2 cans Keen Kleener, 2 bars Gondola Soap. (Main Floor.)

Bed Sheets 13½ grades, yard-wide Manchester, in light and dark colors, plain or striped; most useful lengths: 94c

10c Bed Sheets in fancy stripe effects; plain colorings and pure white, yard.

7½c Bed Sheets in wide, finely faced, next pink or blue stripes; remnants. (Main Floor.)

New Pattern Tablecloths Good, heavy, full-blended, mercerized pattern Tablecloths, 55x55 inches; bordered all around; several patterns. (Main Floor.)

50c Specials in Remnants

13½ grades, yard-wide Manchester, in light and dark colors, plain or striped; most useful lengths: 94c

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'OUTRAGEOUS' SAYS FINE OF HIS CONVICTION ON BRIBÉ CHARGE

County Excise Official Made No Defense in Justice Court and Files Appeal Bond Immediately.

Robert J. Fine, member of the St. Louis County Excise Board, was found guilty by a jury in Justice Knoche's court at Creve Coeur yesterday afternoon of soliciting a \$500 bribe from Peter Gounds of Meramec Highlands. The maximum punishment, 60 days in jail and a fine of \$100, was given him.

Fine's lawyer, A. V. Lashly, refused to offer any testimony in Fine's defense, and in anticipation of the unfavorable verdict, which the jury returned after being out 10 minutes, prepared an appeal bond. An appeal was taken and the bond fixed at \$1000. It was signed by George W. Funk, president of the St. Louis Lumber Co. Fine said the

verdict was so outrageous that it was beneath his dignity to talk about it.

Gounds testified that Fine promised to help him get off if he could give Fine \$500 through a friend. On cross-examination he admitted having been prosecuted for selling liquor without a license.

L. Sale Friday Bargain.
Assorted Nut Goodies, 40c Grade, 20c Pound.

Striking Postal Men Arrested.

FAIRMONT, W. Va., Nov. 25.—Twenty-two arrests were made here last night on charges growing out of the recent strike of clerks and carriers at the local postoffice as a protest against the dismissal of W. H. Brand, assistant postmaster. All were charged with conspiring to obstruct the passage of mail. The maximum penalty is two years and \$10,000 fine.

ALDERMAN KOENIG ARRESTED
Had Difference With Policeman Over Parking Automobile.

Alderman Otto G. Koenig was arrested yesterday afternoon because he disagreed with Policeman Sapp about the parking of his automobile near the Mercantile Club. After he had been ordered away from the Seventh street curb, he crossed the street and stopped near a fire plug. He was told to move from there, and Koenig talked back to the policeman, who took him to headquarters in Koenig's machine.

After a talk with Chief Young, the Alderman was released without being booked. He says he will file charges against the policeman. The latter says he can prove that Koenig violated the traffic law.

The Post-Dispatch is the only evening newspaper in St. Louis that receives the Associated Press news gathered by the Associated Press

**FOORTY WITNESSES
STILL TO BE HEARD
IN SHIP LINE CASE**

Capt. Boy-Ed's Name Twice Mentioned in Testimony in New York Trial.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—More than 40 witnesses still are to be heard at the trial of Karl Buens, Adolph Hochmeister, Joseph Poppighaus and George Kotter, Hamburg-American Line officials accused of conspiring to deceive and defraud the United States Government by sending supply ships to German cruisers in the Atlantic and Pacific, at the beginning of the war. No session of court was held today, on account of the weather, but it was expected that the hearing of testimony would be resumed tomorrow.

Witnesses yesterday twice mentioned Capt. K. Boy-Ed of the German embassy at Washington, the first time in connection with a telegram sent Dec. 16, 1914, by H. Suhren, captain of the Costa Rica steamer Marina Quesada, to Hochmeister, advising him that the steamer was sailing that afternoon and that Suhren, needing money, had drawn on him for \$1000. Hochmeister was told to take the matter to "Room 801 at Broadway," and Roger B. Wood, for the Government, brought out that this was the room which Capt. Boy-Ed occupied as his New York headquarters.

Again Capt. Boy-Ed's name was connected with the case by one of Capt. Suhren's telegrams. This message was addressed to "Philip Volz, care Nordmann, room 801, No. 11 Broadway," and related to the Quesada's contemplated departure.

North German Lloyd Mentioned.
Attorney Wood, for the prosecution, informed the Court that Volz was the Baltimore agent of the North German Lloyd, which operated, till the war began, a large number of transatlantic vessels under the German flag. It was possible, Wood added, that the North German Lloyd was among the "other conspirators, unknown to the grand jury" mentioned in the indictment.

Lawyers also asked that the defendants had succeeded in lodging coal and supplies aboard at least two of a fleet of five German ships and convicts in the Atlantic in September, 1914, by means of the Berwind, an American ship flying the Stars and Stripes, the Government proceeded to deal with the Marina Quesada, which sailed from Newport News, Dec. 16, 1914, for Valparaiso, Chile, and the Thor, which sailed for Buenos Aires Aug. 3. The Government charges that they were two of the 16 boats chartered by the defendants in their alleged unlawful practice.

The defendants admit that they chartered 12 steamers for the purposes charged by the Government, but deny in their concessions that by so doing they were guilty of conspiracy. They do not admit that they had anything to do with the Quesada. The Government sought to prove its contention by the testimony of Norman Hamilton, Collector of the Port of Newport News; Ernest McIntyre, an employee of the Berwind-White Coal Co. at Newport News; Elliott M. Parker, connected with the Pocahontas Fuel Co. at Newport News, and John F. Harper of Norfolk.

Testimony About Steamers.

It developed from the testimony of these men that the Quesada was formerly the Norwegian steamer Gladstone and that she changed her colors after the war began. She sailed on a clearance, granted by Collector Hamilton, after she had been tied up for some time at Newport News and Norfolk. Her manifest stated that she was loaded with coal, but the Government sought to show that she also had provisions aboard. Testimony on this point was incomplete at adjournment.

The steamer Thor was granted clearance by Collector Hamilton after M. McIntyre had sworn to her manifest. This man installed it as her cargo and gave her destination. McIntyre said he was informed that her cargo was coal for Master Brothers, shipping agents. Later it developed that she had aboard \$3700 worth of provisions and stores paid for by the Hamburg-American Line, which was admitted by counsel for the defendants.

McIntyre said he had been deceived, and that the falsity of his oath was unwitting. There was nothing to show that Hasler Brothers knew that she had stores aboard.

Collector Explains Course.

Collector Hamilton, asked if he had cleared her had her manifest detailed these stores and had he known she was bound for German ships at sea, replied:

"I would have denied clearance and initiated proceedings against her master for false oath."

Collector Hamilton was asked by counsel for the defense if the British Vice Consul at Norfolk and Newport News had not come to him with their information and fears and suspicions, and demanded that he do what they termed his duty in preventing supplies from leaving port for German warships at sea.

"There was no demand from the British Vice Consul at Norfolk," he replied. "There were some demands from the British Vice Consul at Newport News. I considered these impudent, paid no attention to them and gave the Vice Consul no information."

State Department to Be Guided in Case Only by Broadcast Policy.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—Questions affecting the status of diplomatic and consular representatives of belligerent Governments in the United States will be determined by the State Department on broad grounds of policy, with special reference to the maintenance of friendly relations with foreign Governments.

Secretary Lansing made this known yesterday, when his attention was drawn to testimony given in the Federal Court at New York that Capt. Boy-Ed, the German naval attache, furnished funds whereby a conspiracy was alleged to have been conducted by agents of the Hamburg-American Line to supply German warships at sea.

Secretary Lansing's position is that diplomatic representatives are immune

not only from criminal prosecution, but that nothing that may be done by the Department of Justice in the development of other cases which might bind the State Department to ask for the withdrawal of any diplomatic officer, in the cases also of Consuls and General Consuls and other accredited agents of foreign Governments, even though they do not enjoy diplomatic immunity from prosecution by the State Department is that there are important questions of policy involved which will guide it in deciding whether a recall should be asked for.

Capt. Boy-Ed, the German naval attaché, so far as Secretary Lansing is in his possession, did not violate any law in supply funds to obtain coal and provisions for belligerent ships at sea since this in itself is not a criminal offense.

The Secretary declined, however, to indicate what might be the attitude of the department if it should be proved that Capt. Boy-Ed had knowledge of or directed the alleged falsification of manifests and clearance papers by agents of the Hamburg-American Line.

Busy Bee Candy Bargain Friday.

Ast. Chocolate Marshmallows, 20c lb.

To Give Masquerade Ball.

Camp 106 of the International Library Union of the World will give a masquerade ball tomorrow night at 416 Delmar boulevard.

Stove, Range and Furnace Repairs.

A. G. Brauer Supply Co., 316 N. 3d st.

Seeks Trace of Missing Husband.

Mrs. Robert C. Brinson of 315 Oxford Avenue, Maplewood, is trying to get some trace of her husband, who disappeared July 13.

NEGRO ROBBER SHOOTS A MAN

Grocer Delivaryman Tries to Save Revolver From Assailant.

William Albers, 31 years old, of 725 Morgan street, a driver for the Frank Lind Grocery Co., was shot in the head by a negro robber in front of 349 West Pine boulevard last night.

The negro displayed a revolver and told the driver to hand over his money. Instead, Albers tried to snatch the revolver and the negro fired. The bullet struck Albers under the left eye and he fell unconscious. Albers was taken to the city hospital. His condition is critical.

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Fur-trimmed copies of originals, in a broad range of materials, including the desired bouclés, velvets, poplins, gabardines and white cords, in all colors.

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Values to \$35

All our finer exclusive models without restriction. Fur-trimmed velvets, gabardines, velours and like fabrics, in newest shades.

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Your choice of Street and Afternoon Frocks on the following attractive basis:

Former prices to \$10, \$3.65

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Values to \$24.75, \$4.65

Values to \$31.75, \$4.65

Values to \$41.75, \$4.65

Values to \$51.75, \$4.65

Values to \$61.75, \$4.65

Values to \$71.75, \$4.65

Values to \$81.75, \$4.65

Values to \$91.75, \$4.65

Values to \$101.75, \$4.65

Values to \$111.75, \$4.65

Values to \$121.75, \$4.65

Values to \$131.75, \$4.65

Values to \$141.75, \$4.65

Values to \$151.75, \$4.65

Values to \$161.75, \$4.65

Values to \$171.75, \$4.65

Values to \$181.75, \$4.65

Values to \$191.75, \$4.65

Values to \$201.75, \$4.65

Values to \$211.75, \$4.65

Values to \$221.75, \$4.65

Values to \$231.75, \$4.65

Values to \$241.75, \$4.65

Values to \$251.75, \$4.65

Values to \$261.75, \$4.65

Values to \$271.75, \$4.65

Values to \$281.75, \$4.65

Values to \$291.75, \$4.65

Values to \$301.75, \$4.65

Values to \$311.75, \$4.65

Values to \$321.75, \$4.65

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STORES CO.
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Women's & Misses' \$10 COATS, \$5

Just received a splendid new assortment of Women's and Misses' Coats, in all the up-to-date models in wanted colors and black, and made full flare style with belt and large patch pockets, in all materials—satin, silk, lace, cotton, etc., others with good flare skirts—all sizes, also hats and gloves. **\$5.00**

Women's \$5.00 Dresses

Pretty new silk and all-wool dresses, just the thing for the holidays; in all new styles and models suitable for street, afternoon and evening wear. Some with lace, lace-trimmed, others with good flare skirts in all materials, colors and patterns. **\$2.98**

New Winter Shirts

In materials of serice, fancy mixtures, whipcord, etc.; some with lace-trimmed, others in full-flare effects; values up to \$5.00; special Friday. **(2d Floor)**

Children's Fur Sets

Of white thibet, armine, moulflin, tiger, Coney, chinchilla, angora, fox, etc.; these sets are all lined with best furrier's satin; very special. **\$1.00**

19c Oilcloth

This is a very low price on Floor Oilcloth; be back Friday. **10c**

\$16.50 Room Rugs, 9x12, \$7.98

Practical housewives should see this lot of Rugs; every one new, including the new 1910 Brussels; Brussels can be used on both sides; a wide range of colors and patterns; durability; also Tapestry Brussels in Oriental, medallion, two-tone and Persian designs; Friday. **49c**

\$1 Lace Curtains

A splendid selection of Notting-ham and Madras Curtains. **50c**

35c Window Shades

White, blue and green, all sizes; on good rollers; each (second floor). **17c**

\$1 Jointed Doll, 50c

6c Mattress

Made of pure layer felt, thick-tufted, art floral ticking; 6-lb. weight; **6c** full size; tomorrow only. **\$3.98**

\$2 Vacuum Cleaners

First this wonderful vacuum cleaner was introduced last year; now modified; new model with brush attachment; **25c** per week; **2.50** (2d Floor). **2.50**

Wash Bellows

With lid; large. **39c**

55c Indirect Shower

Complete with picture; beautiful. **39c**

Clothes Iron

Heavy galvanized iron; special. **19c**

51c Gas Pictures

With frame. **79c**

Bench Holders

40c Inverted Gas Mantles. **4c** for tubs and tubs and tubs. **37c**

51c Clothes Wringer

Iron; special. **25c**

48c Large Brown Teapots

Third Floor

Basement—MEN'S 35c UNDERWEAR

Men's ribbed flannel shirts or Drawers; very comfily made, all assortments; special Friday only (Basement). **19c**

Men's 28c Blue Work Shirts, 12c

Ladies' 28c Bunga'ow Apron, 14c

Ladies' 28c Flannelette Petticoats, 15c

Women's 25c Skirts

Women's Skirts, made of various fabrics, have full-flared skirts; black and white; sizes (Basement). **25c**

\$1.15

\$1.65

25c

Grocery

1 cake Palmwine
1 Soap
1 Cake Flour
1 Cake Biscuits
1 cans Soups
1 Box Polish
1 Box Rolled Oats
1 Box Cornstarch

5c

2500 DOLLS FOR LITTLE GUESTS AT CHRISTMAS FEAST

Will Be Sent to St. Louis Homes to Be Dressed for Post-Dispatch Festival.

AWARD OF FIVE PRIZES

Women and Girls Are Already Signing Coupons to Dress the Dolls for the Tree.

PROVIDING for the assured increase over last year in number of little girls who will be dependent upon the community Santa Claus for dolls and other things which carry joy to the young heart, the Post-Dispatch Christmas Festival Association has a supply of more than 2500 dolls for distribution from a huge Christmas tree at the Coliseum.

These dolls might have been purchased fully dressed, but that would have deprived hundreds of women and girls of St. Louis from the privilege of spreading cheer among those of the city's population who are temporarily unable to obtain it from other source. Denial of the privilege of dressing these dolls would have meant the casting of a cloud of regret over a season when it is the desire and endeavor of everyone to make gladness general and profound.

Privilege of Dressing Dolls.

Every one of the more than 2500 dolls is accordingly reserved for those who claim it as a privilege to dress it. Volunteers are obtaining registration in large volume by every mail. Many of the coupons are being returned filled out for more than one doll. Women and girls are inducing their friends to gather and are arranging to carry on their work jointly, sharing the ideas of each other as to style, fabrics and other details to achieve best results.

There is with probably every one of the volunteers an earnest purpose to capture one of the five prizes of \$5 in gold offered by the Post-Dispatch for the most attractive costume, not so much for the value of the prize as for the distinction of being one of the hundreds of competitors. In this friendly rivalry there is equal chance for well-to-do and poor, for the awards will go strictly upon the display of taste in design and skill and in the making of the costume.

Haste an Essential Factor.

It is to the advantage of everyone taking an active part in the dressing of the dolls that it be done at the earliest practicable date. That is a preliminary part of the great scheme of the Festival, which extends to bestowing hospitality in every essential direction calculated to bring gladness to the hearts of the community's members looking the means at this time to obtain it for themselves.

No one must be permitted to say that St. Louis is not in the spirit that makes no heed of the season of "good will among men." For the boys, the things most likely to thrill their hearts with satisfaction are abundantly provided, but in that branch of the undertaking no volunteer service is required.

The call just now is for doll dressers. Send in your name at once, with the number of dolls you will prepare for the little girls in order that plenty of time may be had to devote to selection of material and determination of the style in which the costumes are to be made, and yet get them out of the way in advance of the serious business or preparing your own Christmas remembrances.

Buy Bee Candy Bargain Friday.

Ast. Chocolate Marshmallows, 20 lb.

ON HOSPITAL STAFF 50 YEARS

Dr. Carson Celebrates Golden Anniversary at Mullingsy Institution.

Dr. Norman Bruce Carson, chief of the Mullingsy Hospital staff, passed the half-century mark of service there yesterday, and a golden jubilee celebration was held last night by his friends. Telegrams and letters of congratulation were received by Dr. Carson and a loving cup was formally presented to him. Dr. Carson has a record of never having missed a day of service in 50 years. After the exercises a banquet was held in his honor.

Music Records for Christmas.

The December list of records put out by the Columbia Graphophone Co. has been prepared with a view to help solve the Christmas gift problem. A selection of records is offered which carry the spirit of the Christmas time and the suggestion is made that no gift would be more acceptable to talking machine owners than a bunch of Christmas records.

Starting off with the two most loved of all Christmas melodies, "Silent Night," "Hallowed Night," and "Oh Come All Ye Faithful" sung by a mixed quartet, the list includes many religious numbers and selections from the operas. There is also a Christmas record for the children in two orchestral descriptives, "Toy Shop Symphony" and "Christmas Morning with the Kiddies." The list includes the usual popular hits of the month.

Dear Cause Trolley Wreck.

GUILFORD, Conn., Nov. 25.—Three deer caused a rear-end collision on the Shore Line Electric Railroad, near here, last night, in which 11 persons were injured, none fatally. The deer were galloping across the tracks, when a car from New Haven struck them. A dog was killed, but the other animals disappeared. The trolley barely had stopped when another car following struck it.

DRESS UP

Clothing doesn't make the man, but it helps our social and commercial standing to be well dressed; therefore watch the merchants' announcements in next Friday's Post-Dispatch for the very latest in clothes, shoes, hats and haberdashery.

2500 DOLLS FOR LITTLE GUESTS AT CHRISTMAS FEAST

Won't You Dress a Doll for Children's Christmas Tree?

WON'T you dress one or more dolls to aid the Post-Dispatch Christmas Festival Association in making little girls happy Christmas day? Thousands of these pretty dolls, 12 inches long, with blonde heads, brown or blonde hair, and eyes that open and close. The Post-Dispatch has provided them, but they are undressed. It would never do to distribute them in that condition.

Volunteers are requested to provide, finish and place a dress upon each of the dolls, individual taste to determine the fabrics and styles.

FOR the five best dressed dolls—taste alone to be the test of merit—prizes of \$5 in gold will be given by the Post-Dispatch.

If you will dress one or more of the dolls to make the hearts of little girls thrill with pleasure Christmas day, write your name and address on the appended blank and send it to the DOLL DEPARTMENT, POST-DISPATCH.

Officers of organizations may obtain a number of dolls for their members to dress.

Name.....

Address.....

INSISTS ANCONA WAS SHELLED AS PASSENGERS TOOK TO BOATS

Dr. Grill, New York to Report Her Story to U. S. Ambassador in Rome.

NAPLES, Nov. 25.—Dr. Cecile L. Grill of New York, the only American-born passenger on the steamship Ancona, sunk in the Mediterranean by a submarine, will go to Rome tomorrow to repeat her story to the American Ambassador, Thomas Nelson Page.

She will be accompanied by Lieutenant Commander Jackson, assistant naval attache of the American embassy at Rome,

who same to Naples to assist in the collection of evidence desired by the American Government concerning the sinking of the Ancona.

Dr. Grill reiterates her assertion that the submarine shelled the ship while the passengers were attempting to escape in the boats.

Steve Range and Furnace Repairers, Brauer Supply Co., 116 N. 2d St.

Former Arizona Governor Dies.

TUCSON, Ariz., Nov. 25.—L. C. Hughes, 75, Territorial Governor of Arizona, died yesterday morning. Founder of the Arizona Daily Star of this city, died here last night of pneumonia.

112 Women—in need of a Tailored Suit can secure an exceptional value here Friday at

\$7.50

112 Suits from our \$19.15, \$25 and \$30 lines will be offered till sold at this figure.

They are not fur trimmed. That's why the ridiculous sale price is named. In every other requisite — style — tailoring — color—they are extremely desirable.

This event will prove of interest to women of conservative taste who prefer the refinement of a tailored model.

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Any new patient presenting this coupon to the dental office of the Dental Co. will receive \$1 dental work free to demonstrate high-grade dentistry.

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GOING OUT OF BUSINESS!!

IN writing to Advertisers please mention that you saw their Advertisement in the Post-Dispatch.

Conditions of the Sale—

No goods laid aside—
No goods exchanged—
No mail or phone orders filled—
All sales must be final—
But our fair and square policy of Money Back still remains unchanged.

OVER AMERICAN 5c AND 10c STORE

THE ADDISON CLOAK CO
6th & WASHINGTON AV.

200 Salesladies Wanted

Experienced Salesladies wanted for all departments—to wait on the crowds that will attend this great close-out sale. Apply Friday morning at 8 A. M. to the Supt. of

THE ADDISON CLOAK CO.
Bring your references with you.

GOING OUT OF BUSINESS!!

We Make Old Pictures Like New—Little to Pay

New Fiction From Circulating Library, a Cent a Day

Special Table d'Hoté Luncheon, Daily, 50c

Free Lessons in Knitting & Crocheting—5th Floor

Women's Manicuring at 25c

Friday SpecialsWomen's \$2 Japanese Kimonos, \$1.45
Canton crepe with large sleeves, all colors. Third FloorWomen's \$1.98 Beacon Bath Robes, \$1.45
Shawl collar edged with cord; also heavy cord & tassel. Third FloorWomen's \$1 & \$1.25 Corset Coats, \$3.25
Crepe de chine, satin or lingerie, with or without sleeves; lace & organdie trimmed. Third FloorWomen's \$3.50 & \$4 Silk Kimonos, \$2.95
Chenille silk, mosaïque or changeable taftas slip-ons or Empire styles. Third FloorWomen's \$3.50 & \$5 Quilted Sacques, \$2.95
China silk, plain or with embroidered sprays, in black or navy. Third FloorWomen's 79c Figured Crepe Kimonos, 49c
Elastic waist line, full width. Third FloorChildren's Belted & Box Coats, \$3.45
Brown, navy, Cardinal; sizes 2 to 6 years. Third FloorChildren's 50c Flannelette Nightdrawers, 42c
Neat stripes, sizes 1 to 8. Third FloorChildren's Gingham & Percale Dresses, 32c
Waist style, sizes 2 to 6. Third FloorBoys' \$1.35 Boxing Gloves, 98c Set of 4
Tan Napa leather, curved hair padding. Second Floor\$5.50 Single Barrel Shotguns, \$3.95
13 & 16-gauge tested with smokeless powder. Second Floor18x45-In. Stamped Scarfs, 10c Each
Neat designs on white Art cloth, also 30-inch table centers. Fifth FloorStamped Pillowcases, 39c Pair
Full size, various designs. Fifth FloorMen's \$1 to \$1.50 Mocha Gloves, 75c
Mercerized lined in gray & brown, also Faultless sample Gloves. Main Floor, Aisle 10Men's 69c Outing Flannel Nightshirts, 53c
Military & flat collars, sizes 16 to 20. Main Floor, Aisle 10Boys' 50c Tapeless Blouses, 35c; 3 for \$1
Attached or separate collar to match; percales, madras or pongee. Second FloorBoys' \$1.75 Wool-Mixed Sweater Coats, \$29
Navy, Oxford or Cardinal; shawl collar & pockets; sizes 26 to 34. Second FloorBoys' 50c Gloves or Gauntlets, 39c
Lined, black or tan. Gauntlets, Gloves in tan only; all sizes. 2d FloorMen's 50c Corduroy Caps, 39c
For in hand or corduroy flaps, to tie under chin. Main Floor, Aisle 9Boys' 50c & 75c Rah Rah Hats, 39c
Chinchilla mackinaws, corduroy, plush & astrakhan. Second FloorBoys' \$4.95 School Overcoats, \$3.75
Heavy wool fabrics with convertible collar, well made; sizes 8 to 17. Second FloorBoys' Regular \$4.50 Norfolk Suits, \$3.25
8 styles, all-wool cheviot, for school & everyday wear. Second FloorBoys' \$2.75 Rainyday Outfits, \$1.88
Of tan colored raincoat & hat to match, 1 outfit in a box, 6 to 15. Second FloorYoung Men's \$15 Winter Overcoats at \$11.90
All wool, fancy fabrics in Scotch tweeds, box back models with self collars; sizes 32 to 42. Second FloorMen's & Young Men's \$2.50 Trousers, \$1.87
Heavy worsted fabrics in dark patterns, suitable for shop & everyday wear; sizes 30 to 44 waist. Second FloorMen's \$1 to \$1.50 Sample Union Suits, 78c
Grey & corn, medium & heavy weights, with closed crotch. Main FloorWomen's Extra & Reg. Size Union Suits, 58c
Various styles, slight seconds. Main FloorMen's Everwear Socks, "Seconds," 12½c Pr.
Silk hose or cotton: the kind that sell 6 pairs for \$1.50 & \$2.00. Main Floor, Aisle 8Men's \$1.75 to \$3 Sample Union Suits, \$1.19
Light, medium & heavy weights, wool, worsted & mercerized; natural white & corn. Main FloorChildren's 65c to 85c Union Suits, 42c
Bleached cotton, ribbed, medium & heavy weight, fleeced or unfleeced. Main FloorWomen's \$1 Full-Fashioned Silk Hose, 58c
Double lace garter tops; black, white & colors. Main FloorWomen's 35c to 39c Full-Fashioned Hose, 19c
Black, with lavender garter welt, black ingrain cotton & black silk. Main Floor\$1.50 P. N. Rustproof Corsets, \$1
Medium high bust, long hip elastic band, wide graduating clasp; 4 supporters; sizes 18 to 30. Third FloorWarner Fancy Brassieres—Special, 39c
Batiste, wide lace-trimmed top & bottom, pointed yoke effect. Third FloorWomen's \$4 Blue Kid Lace Boots, \$3.25
Cloth top, white eyelets; all sizes. Second FloorWomen's \$1 Sateen Boudoir Slippers, 70c
Various colors; all sizes. Second FloorWomen's Felt Juliets, 70c
Fur trimmed; black, wine or green; all sizes. Second FloorBoys' Gunmetal Boots, \$1.85
Button or Blucher Shoes, Goodyear welt; sizes 1 to 6. Second FloorMen's Faust Slippers, \$1.30
Brown or black kid. Second Floor\$1.25 Silk Lace Veils, 29c
1½ yard, black, brown, navy & white; dainty patterns. Main Floor, Aisle 2\$5.50 Marabou Muffs, \$3.75
The new brown & black, satin lined. Main Floor, Aisle 239c Plain Satin & Fancy Ribbon, 25c
Wide plain satins in white, pink & blue, light & dark flowered patterns. Main Floor, Aisle 2

Sale of Schubert Pianos & Players

One of the most remarkable piano propositions we have ever made.

\$350 Schubert Pianos.....\$247.50

\$350 Schubert Players.....\$395

Instruments of High-est Grade

\$5 down \$10 down on Pianos, on Players, \$1.50 \$2.00

Each Week Back Week

Many helpful features in the contract—fullest guarantee. Sixth Floor



Exclusive St. Louis Distributors for Innovation Wardrobe Trunks

Bring Us Your Jewelry & Watch Repairing

"Friday Special Day"

THANKSGIVING over, hundreds of wide-awake women will begin the Christmas shopping NOW—EARLY. In this list of **FRIDAY SPECIALS** much attention has been given to prospective Holiday shopping, & suitable articles as remembrances are offered in many sections of the store. Everyday personal & home needfuls are also quoted.

The prices, as is the custom with Friday Specials, obtain only for this one day's selling.

No telephone or mail orders are received on Friday Specials. Quantity restrictions are imposed to prevent dealers buying.

We Give &
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Stamps—Few
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ENTIRE BLOCK: OLIVE, LOCUST, SIXTH AND SEVENTH STS.

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Missouri &
the West

Every Express Brings New Arrivals in Women's & Misses' Winter Coats

Street Coats \$18.75 Afternoon Coats
 Motor Coats

Coats that will meet with your approval. Garments that have the individual style touches & yet are not expensive.

STYLES, yes; a remarkable variety of them. You'll find full belted, half-belted, flaring, military, chin chin, choker collar & pleated effects.

The fur trimming you will look for is to be found generously applied to a number of the styles.

Choosing of material may be made from corduroy, zibeline, wool check, pebble cheviots, broadcloth, broadtail, plush, wool mixture & gabardine.

All colors—some lined with yarn-dyed or Sol satin; others half lined.

\$14.75 & \$19.75 Afternoon & Street Dresses

Women's & \$9.90
Misses' Sizes

Just 125 Dresses in the lot—good fortune for the women who get here in time. Materials are serge, silk, serge & satin combinations—there being 10 clever models in such favored shades as navy, Russian green, black, brown & plaid.

Be quick if you would have one.

Third Floor.

Charge Purchases Made Friday Will Appear
on December Statements, Rendered Jan. 1st

Sample Flowers & Feathers

Made to Retail 29c
at 50c to \$2.50

The samples of a New York maker which a ridiculously low offer of ours brought here for Friday's selling.

Since there are samples there are but 1, 2 or 3 pieces of a kind, but a wide range of varieties, including flowers of velvet, metal & other materials, fancy feathers & ostrich effects, some combined with fur.

No mail orders can be filled.

Third Floor.

The Doll Show Is Open

On the Fourth Floor.
View the remarkable exhibit of dressed dolls entered in this contest for which \$275 in cash & merchandise prizes are given.

Third Floor.

A Maker's Sample Dresses

\$5 to \$7.50 \$2.85
Values at

Friday there will surely be a rush for these 100 Dresses. At the price they are worthy every effort necessary to get here early.

Striking new effects of all-wool French & storm serge in the serviceable navy shade; also some combination effects of silk & serge, trimmed with rich plaid & striped silk girdle. Fancy collars & cuffs, buttons & braid.

Best selection is in size 10, though there are a few of 6, 8 & 12 years, being samples.

Third Floor.

Girls' School Coats, \$3.25

Cheviots, Kerseys, Zibelines & mixtures, colors navy, brown, red & Copenhagen; sizes 6 to 14 years.

Third Floor.

98c Wash Dresses, 65c

Oodments of stock of wash dresses in fine ginghams, percales & linens; 6, 10, 12 & 14-year sizes.

Third Floor.

Boys' Chinchilla Overcoats

With Hats to Match, \$5 Value, \$3.90

When the cold days come—as soon they will—these outfits afford the utmost protection to the boys.

Bambridge & blue chinchilla, flannel lined, double-breasted style, button to neck or belted back.

Every coat tailored in an expert manner, & the set is complete with rah rah hat of same material, with flaps.

Third Floor.

Boys' \$5 Two-Pants Suits, Special at \$3.75

A new lot of heavy wool cheviot Norfolk Suits, with extra pair of Knickerbockers to match; for boys 6 to 17 years.

Several patterns in grays & browns—suitable for school & every day service.

Second Floor.



Here Is an Important After-Thanksgiving Sale of Misses' \$20 & \$25 Dresses

at \$12.75

They are overlots from a leading New York maker, purchased at a decided price advantage & offered now in a co-operative way which passes the saving on to the misses who secure them.

There are handsome party gowns, exquisite dancing frocks as well as street & afternoon dresses. Materials are velvet corduroy & charmeuse combinations, messaline, taffeta, crepe, Georgette, meteor & satin combinations. Colors green, blue, rose & black. Some are fur-trimmed, many in new Russian effects or pleated & still others with fur-trimmed tunics.

Sizes 14, 16 & 18.

Third Floor.

**The Great-st Lace
Curtain Sale of
the Year**

—an event that surpasses all other efforts at curtain value-giving—offering hundreds & hundreds of the very newest designs—at savings that range from 1/3 to 2/3, & including:

\$1.50 to \$3.50 Curtains, Pr. \$1.10
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\$6 to \$7.50 Curtains, Pr. \$3.75
\$9 to \$10.50 Curtains, Pr. \$5.98

\$12.50 to \$13.75 Curtains, Pr. \$7.50
\$15 to \$18.75 Curtains, Pr. \$10.69

Fourth Floor.

25c & 29c Curtain Marquise, 15c Yd.

Mercerized in white, ivory, beige & Arabian colors; 24 & 40-inch.

Fourth Floor.

98c & \$1.25 Curtain Laces, 59c Yd.

48 & 48-inch sash, panel & curtain laces; colors are white, ivory, beige & Arabian.

Fourth Floor.

29c to 39c Cretonne Drapery, 19c Yd.

French taffeta, camel tickling, chintz & cretonne, in handsome new designs & rich colorings.

Fourth Floor.</p

**Snapshots of
Young St. Louisans**

Retrovare Pictures of some of the next generation of St. Louis in

Next Sunday's Post-Dispatch

And in the Big Real Estate and Want Directory
as usual. Sunday, more than 3000 Home offers.

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**A Substitute
for War**

Nonmilitary plan of leading pacifist
against a military aggressor in

Next Sunday's Post-Dispatch

Want a Home of your own in any section of St.
Louis or suburbs? See the 3000 Home offers in the
Big Directory Next Sunday.

**MISSOURI CAVALRY OFFICERS
BEGIN A FOUR-DAY TEST RIDE**

WISCONSINERS FROM WISCONSIN AND ILLINOIS
"Texas Steer" in Chicago to
make 120 Miles.

CHICAGO, Nov. 25.—Fifty cavalry officers, V. C. National Guard of Mis-
souri, Illinois and Wisconsin left here
today on a four-day test ride under
the supervision of the War Depart-
ment.

MAJ. McNamee of the Fifth United
States Cavalry, inspection officer for
this National Guard division, will direct
the ride, the first by militia officers un-
der conditions prescribed for regular
army officers. They plan to cover 120
miles on the trip.

The ride today took the officers to-
ward Waukesha, Ill. The weather was
clear and warm.

Lowes Purse and \$355.
Samuel Carter of Cutler, Ill., reported
to the police that a purse containing
\$355 was stolen from him yesterday after-
noon, when he was walking on Seventh
street, between Franklin avenue and
Market street.

Williams
Sixth and Franklin
"Our Location Saves You Money"

ARCH SUPPORTS,
\$1.25
We redeem Eagle Stamp Books—\$2.50 in merchandise, or \$2 in cash.
Only large downtown exclusive shoe store that gives Eagle Stamps.

FREE
KNIFE
To every boy or little man who makes a purchase of a pair
of shoes in this store we will present a handsome two blade
nickel-plated knife.

25 STYLES OF BOYS' SHOES

"Men's HEAVY WORK Shoes"
An unusual purchase of 3000 pairs,
enables us to quote to the working men
of St. Louis these \$2.50 to \$3 values, in genuine
"CHROME" upper leather, oak sole Work Shoes, in
Tan or Black; at the spe-
cial price of.....
\$2.19
(All Sizes, 6 to 11)

"High-Cut Boots" For Men
and Boys
MEN'S
Pearl, Tan or Darkstone
Boys'
Black and Tan.
10-inch
Boots.....\$7.00
11-inch
Boots.....\$6.00
12-inch
Boots.....\$5.00
13-inch
Boots.....\$4.00
14-inch
Boots.....\$3.00
These prices will save
you 50¢ to \$3.00.

"Elk-Sole Shoes"
FOR MEN AND BOYS
The most durable light-weight work shoe for men and
the best wearing everyday shoe for boys manufactured.
Made specially for us of soft "CHROME" leather uppers
and waterproof soles.
Men's, 6 to
11, black or tan.....\$2.00
Boys'
1 to 6.....\$1.50
Little Men's
10 to 13½.....\$1.39

"Schoolmate" Shoes
FOR BOYS
Gummett, Button and Lace with
solid oak soles.
Boys'
Sizes 1 to 6.....\$1.50
Little Men's
9 to 13½.....\$1.25
KNIFE FREE
\$1.25
Men's Dress Shoes
Button or Lace
Genuine, kid or calfskin,
calf or tan calf;
also visi kid with
the famous "flexo"
hand-welted sewed
soles. Our price for
all styles.
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From St. Louis, East St. Louis, Granite City and Madison
Good going on all trains
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 26th
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TICKETS GOOD ONLY IN CHAIR CARS AND COACHES.

**WABASH
CHICAGO & ALTON
ILLINOIS CENTRAL**

ST. LOUIS TENTH IN RATIO OF SUICIDES TO POPULATION

MARINES ORDERED TO MEXICO COAST EXPECT TO BE LANDED

Texas

Congressman

9 Feet

7 Inches

and Adorned With

8 Inches

of "Brass" for Preparedness and

Prohibition.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—Representative J. H. Davis, the "Cyclone Davis" of Jerry Simpson's day, arrived here last night from Texas. He is six feet and some inches in stocking feet and wears the widest brimmed hat seen in Washington, and a set of plain brush whiskers nine inches long. Mr. Davis looks as he had just stepped from the "Texas Steer" of three decades ago.

Mr. Davis is for preparedness and nation-wide prohibition. He brought with him a son who is nearly seven feet and calls the old man "Popper."

New Navy Yard Commandant.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—Capt. Robt. L. Russell, now commanding the battleship South Carolina, was appointed commanding officer of the Philadelphia navy yard yesterday, the post having been made vacant recently by the death of Capt. Knapp.

OPEN SATURDAY UNTIL 10 P. M.

Business Section of New Albany, Miss., Destroyed.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Nov. 25.—Virtually

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Miss., was destroyed by fire early to-

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fire started in a furniture store and

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Dynamite was used to check the

flames. New Albany has a population

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THE POST-DISPATCH PLATFORM.

I know that my retirement will make no difference in its cardinal principles, that it will always fight for progress and reform, never tolerate injustices or corruption, always fight demagogues of all parties, never belong to any party, always oppose privileged classes and public plunderers, never lack sympathy with the poor, always remain devoted to the public welfare, never be satisfied with merely printing news, always be drastically independent, never be afraid to attack wrong, whether by predatory plutocracy or predatory poverty.

JOSEPH PULITZER.

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Christian Science Decision in Berlin.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
I am informed that the decision at Berlin, Germany, against two Christian Scientists, which you reported last Sunday, was to this effect: The practitioners of a new system of therapeutics can be held responsible for the death of a patient if the expert testimony shows that the patient would have survived for a longer time under the treatment of the customary system. This judgment was delivered in the case of a patient who had been pronounced incurable by practitioners of the system who witnessed furnished evidence against the Christian Scientists. It was an absurd decision by a lower court and will be appealed.

When practically the same question arose in Idaho a couple of years ago the Supreme Court of Idaho said: "These are times of advanced science and liberal thought when every person may think and act for himself. Every community has its multitude of beliefs and modes of treatment of disease and human ailments, and every citizen is absolutely free to adopt, believe, or employ any one he pleases. If the results are not what we would wish or the rest of the community thinks they ought to be, he can nevertheless be hauled into court and have his method of treatment and his school of thought tested by the disciples or experts of some other school or belief."

Of course German law may differ from American law even in its relation to science and religion, but it is not probable that such a barrier to progress as the judgment in question indicates will be erected in any civilized country.

JOHN ASHCROFT.

All Entitled to Car Stops.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
The attached slip was handed to me on the Olive street car, it being the third trip I had made on this car line up to noon? On the card you are asked do you desire "rapid transit?" It is not a matter of "rapid transit," but it is a matter of whether the man living on the street that is entitled to walk the sidewalk, is allowed to walk where the car stops. If the man out on Hamilton avenue wants to save three minutes let him move further in town. Why should anyone living on Pendleton avenue have to walk to Boyle avenue to catch a car, and why are not the citizens living on Pendleton avenue entitled to the car stops at that corner as well as the citizens living on Boyle?

PASSENGER.

Electrify the Tunnel.

It's true that the tunnel referred to in your editorial Saturday is the only under-river passenger tunnel in the United States that permits steam locomotives?

You might have mentioned also: 1. That the New York Central has two successful zones of electrification, one at Detroit, under the Detroit River, and one from Grand Central Terminal to Harmon, N. Y., 25 miles. 2. That the New Haven zone is not 40 miles but 72 miles, i. e., from New York to New Haven, Conn. 3. That the Pennsylvania Railroad trains are hauled from Manhattan transfer under the Hudson River into the Pennsylvania Terminal, New York, by electricity.

4. That the Long Island Railroad operates from New York City under the East River and out to Long Island by electricity in several branches. 5. That the Interborough Rapid Transit operates with electrical equipment only through separate lines under the East River at New York. 6. That the Norfolk & Western has an electric road that is making new records on reducing operating costs.

"GOTHAM."

State Regulation of Daily Life.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
It is rather amusing to find such an avowed hater of German Kultur as Collier's Weekly applying kultur arguments to the prohibition question. Instead of educating the people not to drink, which is the American way of doing things, Collier's would have us pass laws and hang up "verbotten" signs which is the Prussian way.

If we are going to abandon our theory of civilization, the keystone of which is individual liberty, why stop at the first step? Why not go all the way? Let's prohibit the use of tobacco, have laws to regulate the amount of food we eat and what days we may attend shows and other places of amusement. Let's so regulate our lives that when we die we will all be glad to go to hell just to get a change of atmosphere.

LIBERTY.

Thoughtfulness of Editors.

From the Omaha News.
The waste basket in newspaper offices of any kind does not keep its citizens in good repair than any other agency, except the fear of the law and the hereafter.

COL. CULPEPER'S THANKSGIVING

At the request of the Post-Dispatch, Col. Culpeper has prepared these sentiments appropriate, or otherwise, to the day and occasion:

of machines in that city. St. Louis can try it. By all means licenses of persons who drive recklessly should be taken away. Machine licenses of reckless owners should be suspended.

MAKE ALL SCHOOLS SAFE.

It is surprising and discreditable to the school authorities, public and private, that after such frightful examples have been set before them, in the way of loss of life of helpless children, Building Commissioner McElveen should be able to report 28 public schools and 41 private schools dangerous in case of fire or panic.

The Pharisee thanked the Lord he was not as other men were, and humble men ever since have been secretly thankful they are not as the Pharisee was. In this time when we seem to present an exalted contrast to the low-flung nations engaged in a brawl we ought to be very guarded in our Thanksgiving. In good taste we might make it a silent prayer.

It is difficult to be vociferously thankful we are not as other nations are and avoid exciting the laughter of angels by our self-righteousness, especially when we reflect that we are furnishing so much of the ammunition.

We have set the fighters a lofty example of peace, and that is the burden of our

peasants of praise today. But let us not forget that we have written the other fellows defining what we should regard as deliberately unfriendly, meanwhile getting ready to spend a billion for preparedness and indicating that we do not propose to turn the other cheek.

Speaking of Bryan, he represents most of the cheek in the country willing to turn submissively—but his cheek is political and he is willing enough to fight the administration.

Col. Bryan's cheek is really a pretty fair symbol of the peace that is part selfishness, which we hope to preserve.

We should hate to think that gratitude is an expression of selfishness—although gratitude for past favors is sometimes called a lively anticipation of benefits to come. Equally we should hate to believe that gratitude was the voice of vanity. There are a vast number of things we may yield thanks for without vainglory, without offending good taste, violating our own sense of humor, whatever that is, or making ourselves ridiculous to the rest of mankind like the poor, proud Pharisee. Boasting invites trouble. Let us give thanks—and rap wood.

The humblest thanks a man can render is that he hasn't received his just deserts. We can do that as a nation or as individuals. Really humble and devout fellows like yours truly ought to give thanks every year, that they haven't been found out—if that is the case. Also I am grateful for how much I have been forgiven. I give thanks that I am able to deceive myself and preserve my illusions intact—a prayer in which all of the nations, the warring ones as well as my own, may join me—though I don't set up to be a praying example for the universe.

THAT MOVING VAN BILL.

Mayor Kiel is inclined to veto the moving van bill, it is said. The doubts he has about it are justified. That this measure of contemptible treachery serves any public interest whatever is not even pretended. For the sake of a few bill collectors lacking in energy, it puts a burden on the men of another occupation and makes the lawless movements of St. Louisans a subject of irritating official surveillance and report. The Mayor should make short work of it.

The great battleships cannot say dreadnought to mines and submarines.

FORESTALLING GERMANS ON GALLIPOLI.

The new attacks at the Dardanelles might be a part of a plan to keep the Turks busy and conceal a purpose to withdraw until the allies can get away from the Gallipoli positions. However, it is interpreted as Kitchener's negative answer to critics who insist that the campaign at this point should be abandoned and effort concentrated in Serbia. Surely if there is any intention ever to make any further offense at the Dardanelles, now is the time to do it. The arrival at Constantinople via the newly opened route of German veterans, munitions and guns as powerful as any of the allies is already reported. Any advantage accruing from a Turk shortage in war material will soon be lost.

Recounting the battles won, the Germans give a list of 40 fortresses they have captured, 15 in Russia, 12 in France, 8 in Serbia and 5 in Belgium, some of the strongest positions in Europe being included in the number. How many have the allies captured? If other stoutly defended places have fallen before the Germans' big guns, why are the Gallipoli defenses invulnerable before the allies' guns of equal power and range?

No European Thanksgiving; but peace would offer a notable occasion.

MAN'S INHUMANITY TO GOLDFISH.

Man's inhumanity to goldfish is the subject of protest from some thoughtful and kindly St. Louisans, who propose a law to prevent thoughtless or cruel persons from confining the fish in small bowls for decorative purposes.

Every humanitarian must subscribe to the proposition that fish ought to be treated kindly even to the extent of liberating them if need be. But who will undertake to say that well-fed and well-watered fish are unhappy in their pretty little bowls? And if they are unhappy or discontented may not the causes lie within themselves? May not those who plead for the emancipation of the goldfish be misled by the expression on its face? A goldfish in a pond looks just as miserable as one in a bowl, for though Nature has given it beauty of figure, grace, and an enchanting complexion, its features, especially its dour mouth, are singularly wanting in agreeableness and amiability. A goldfish gives indications of lacking in character if not in intelligence. Would it make the most of its liberty? Has the goldfish progressed far enough in the scale of life to thrive under freedom or enjoy the constitutional blessings of liberty and the pursuit of happiness? These are pictorial and political questions which should give the reformer pause before taking the responsibility of setting free the millions of fish from their safe and comfortable confinement. Alas, what would become of them dumped out to shift for themselves in a cold world of hardships in which the fittest and the efficient alone find comfort, not to mention luxury?

The operation of an automobile in the streets of St. Louis is a privilege granted by the citizens. The power to grant is also the power to take away. And, too, there is always the workhouse.

Portland, Ore., abolished fines altogether and substituted the rock pile. For nine months there has been no criminal recklessness in the handling



THANKFUL.

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH
by Clark McAdams

WHEN HOMER SANG.

WHEN Homer smote his blooming lyre, The Greeks were always in the fight, And none had reason to require That Greece should set herself aright.

There never was so sad a plight

As that of Constantine the King

When Homer filled the space of night

With songs the centuries should sing.

The Queen was subjugated quite, when Homer made

THAT Hecuba, for instance, gave The word which when Troy assailed the foe Was quite absurd when men were brava And for themselves said yes and no.

Penelope's hot tears would flow

When grim Ulysses marched away,

But who esteems his pride so low

As that he asked her yea or nay?

Man simply seized his trusty bow and started out in that brave day.

III

GREAT Homer lies beside the sea Somewhere upon the shores of Thrace And it is just as well to be Well buried there a little space.

His genius and his pride of race

Had both collapsed to see the Queen Confront the King, and face to face,

Impose her will on Constantine.

A man was boss about the place when Homer thrilled that olden scene.

ROMULUS IN A NEW ROLE.

A Montana copper magnate made the grand tour of Europe just before the war, and on his return was given a dinner by the chamber of commerce at Butte.

One of the hosts, says a Chicagoan, who was present, asked the traveler what it was that most impressed him during his visit abroad.

He reflected a moment and replied:

"The sight that pleased me most was in Rome. It was a solid copper statue of a wolf nursing Romulus and Juliet."

It may be so, as the militarists tell us, that our army would just about make one day's good killing, but we would not advise any of the fighting Powers to show up at the funeral.

Maybe the truth is that the United States is at peace now and Mr. Maxim doesn't know it.

GET THE DIN OF THE TIN.

Mrs. —— was ill. In front of the house there was a pipe railing. A Ford suffering with delirium tremens came reeling down the street and crashed through this railing. Some noise. Mrs. ——'s daughters explained to her what had happened.

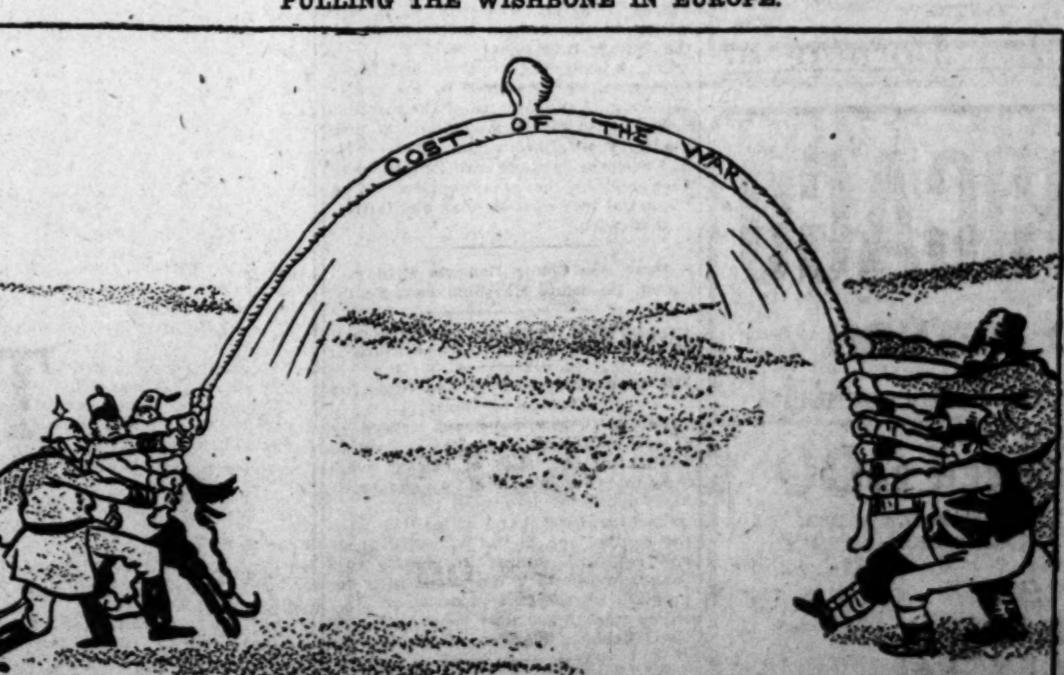
"Why," she said. "I thought someone had knocked the breadbox in the kitchen down!"

CAVEAT EMPOR.

Scutari, which has had the scot put into it more times than the chief ingredient has been put into anything of which we know, has been made the Servian capital temporarily.

A restaurant keeper who rendered Carranza too big a bill for food has been deported from Mexico. Wait until the old gentleman gets his garage bill!

PULLING THE WISHBONE IN EUROPE.



ANSWERS TO QUERIES

BEAUTY CULTURE.

Mrs. H.—Try vaseline to strengthen your nails; look to your general health.

SUSIE.—Electricity, by skilled operator, is the only sure method of removing superfluous hair.

CLEANSING.

R. M.—An egg white may be cleaned by rubbing it well (with the hand) with hot flour. Heat the flour in the oven in a pie dish, taking care not to burn it. Rub the egg white over the flour till all dirty marks disappear, then shake it thoroughly. The white may be rinsed off in this way.

R. M. F.—To remove black spots drop cold water quickly on stains and then cover with thick layer of powdered charcoal. When the stain is gone, the water may be rinsed off.

SILVER LACE.—To clean silver lace try powder magnesia. Saturate the lace with water and then rub with the delicate fabrics. Even when the spots are dried into the stuff. Apply freely, leave it on for half an hour, then wash it off with pure alcohol. Be careful to do this in the open air and not in the vicinity of any flammable substance.

DATES.

DISPUTED.—July 12, 1894, Thursday.

B. A.—Prince Henry of Prussia arrived in St. Louis March 2, 1902; departed same day.

LAW POINTS.

H. A. D.—Residence necessary for divorce in Texas 6 months.

ALBERT.—Whoever is the owner of furniture is required to pay taxes on it.

A. A.—License is required for selling cards. (Write Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., for copyright.)

LAUNDRY.—Prosecuting Attorney Municipal Courts about anyone who refuses to return found money when owner proves property.

R. J. B.—Garrison's lawyer might give his services and receive compensation meritorious case of divorce petition a court might possibly waive

A READER.—The offender may be prosecuted under the Mann act if he and Mrs. Reader passed from one state to another. See U. S. Attorney, 5th and Olive.

LIES.—The laws omit to say how old a boy must be to drive his own car or to charge his parents would have to pay any damage done by a boy under 16. A boy under 16 cannot get chauff

The "Schatchen"

A Thanksgiving Dreadnought

The story of how a crafty old peddler, in the role of marriage broker, brings two old sweethearts together again.

By George Murray.

"No, I don't need anything today, Abraham," said Miss Lisa Quentin. The peddler sighed and began wrapping up his pack again. "It's a long time since you bought anything from me, lady," he said sadly. "Those lovely rugs. All the ones I had over twenty years ago are still here."

"They'd brighten up your parlor so as you wouldn't mind it, Miss."

"Not today, Abraham," said Miss Lisa, casting a glance at her floor, nevertheless, as the peddler was quick to observe.

"Now, if you was only married, lady, what a good trade I'd do with you," said the peddler.

"Go along with you, Abraham!" said the pleasant, comely looking woman. "Want to get me married so as to sell me your goods?"

"But that's my business, too, lady," protested the peddler. "Listen, lady. When my people wants to get married, they're too modest to go courting. So they calls in a marriage broker, a 'schatchen,' as they calls it, to see the young people separate, and find out if they're suited. Then, if everything's all right, I bring the young people together. You ain't so old, lady, not 40. I guess."

"Go along with you, Abraham! I'm only 38!" exclaimed Miss Lisa, flushing furiously.

"All the better, lady. I've married worse ones than you. You got a better chance than some. I married a lady of 38 last month."

"Abraham, how dare you!"

"It's all right," said the peddler. "All the women says that. They got to pretend they ain't never thought of marrying. But they'll always take a chance. Now let me marry you, miss, and you won't regret it. There's a fine fellow in Sidmouth, only 41—Mr. Frank Jones—with a big farm and horses to boot. You'd like him, lady."

"Abraham, will you go, or I'll never

buy anything from you again?"

"All right, miss, returned the inexorable peddler. "And maybe when I marry you you'll let me take the order for furnishing your home."

THIS cause of Miss Lisa's trepidation may or may not have been known to Mr. Abraham. The fact was that the same Mr. Abraham had been an old sweethearts of Miss Lisa years before, one among a number, when she was a village belle. Since then they had met several times, but there had never been any thought of courtship.

It was the following day that Abraham renewed his proposition, this time to Mr. Frank Jones, before whose door he stopped.

"Mr. Jones, why ain't you never got married?" he asked, with a winning smile which could not possibly have given offense.

"Why, the what-do you mean, Abraham?" exclaimed the farmer angrily.

"It's all right," said the imperturbable Abraham. "All the mens says that at first. They're skittish as the girls. No, she didn't tell me she loved you, Mr. Jones, but I read it in her eyes. You can get her—and then maybe you'll let me take the order for furnishing the home—yes?"

Left alone, Frank Jones began thinking over the old days of his wooing of Miss Lisa. Lisa Quentin had certainly been one of the sweetest girls in the neighborhood. The middle-aged man found himself recalling incidents that he had forgotten years before, things quite unsuited to the reveries of a substantial hard-headed farmer.

N the end he took the occasion to pay a visit to Miss Lisa when he was buying cattle at the Hobart market. He dropped in for a pleasant



SOME NEW RECIPES.

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We Know the Billikens Have Something to Be Thankful for, but What Is It?

BILLIKENS WILL BE "AMONG THOSE PRESENT" TODAY

Georgetown Is 1-5 Choice Over Local Eleven in Final Football Battle of the Season.

By W. J. O'Connor.

SHOULD King George announce a tea dansante this afternoon at Buckingham Palace in honor of the Kaiser, Lloyd-George will not be one whit more surprised than any one of the many sanguine supporters of St. Louis U. will be in the event that the Billikens do anything else but yield submissively to Georgetown at Sportsman's Park. It isn't "on" for the Billikens to win; Georgetown is too good.

But there are a few questions to be answered, to wit: Just how good is Georgetown? How fast is Pete Wall? How vicious is Charley Fitzgerald, who outplayed McEwan, the all-American center of last year? Are Corcoran and Cusack the ends they're cracked up to be? What does Eastern football amount to this year?

Visitors' Record Good.

Georgetown ranks well up in the East. Coach Exendine's men played Princeton to a 13-0 score, kicked holes in the Navy and smothered a flock of minor teams. They swapped blows with the Army and lost, 10-0, after a long and drag-out affair on the plain of West Point. So far, so good.

The Billikens have done nothing to warrant a bet that they will go with anything less than a 10-0 defeat.

Although there's this to be considered: The Navy was easily beaten, while in the Washington game, the Billikens it was pointed for, and lost because only once in the waning moments of the battle did they have a chance to score. This attack showed great potentiality while it operated, although the Navy was a team that had been worn and worn and unable to endure long.

Should this open reveal itself early in today's game, there's the gamblers' chance that the Billikens will score and make the battle for the time at least a good one.

The Billikens will visit Sportsman's Park will be satisfied if St. Louis U. can succeed in drawing the enemy out.

If Georgetown team is good enough to make a George Washington exhibit all its tricks to win the followers of local foot-ball will be satisfied.

Exendine's men, his men will keep nothing in reserve. He has thrown all his strength into this battle and says he has given instructions to operate on high gear from the go.

Exendine Is Confident.

"We take no stock in the reports that St. Louis is weak," said Exendine this morning, "and we're in there to win and play our best. If we can score 100 points we will do it. If we get six more than the other fellows we'll be just as pleased. But whatever the score is, will represent our best efforts."

Coach Keegan took a conservative

tactic. "I was almost boasting before the Washington game," said the Billikens' coach, "but for that reason I will keep my peace today. But my record has not yet done itself justice this season, so it is better than its records indicate, because we were under wraps in every game and the Washington skirmish, while we exploded in that battle. We're in better shape today, and determined to retrieve a rather poor record."

Both Teams Partial to Open Style of Play; Big Crowd Is Expected

GEORGEWTON has the heavier team and unless some information is wrong, also the faster eleven. St. Louis U. has considerable heft in the center of the line, but barring Schopp, who knows a few tricks, the center trio are mostly too hefty—carrying weight.

The Billikens backfield is 10 pounds to the man lighter than Georgetown, and the two sides are relying on an aerial attack, and other plays built on the deception that the other side has a trick or two up its sleeve. The answer also lies in the open game. Georgetown's passing won praise against the Army and Princeton, because Georgetown has a great pair of ends in Corcoran and Cusack, while Pete Wall and Jack Gilroy are raw rookies.

A football enthusiast who has seen Gilroy in action says he compares more than favorably with Jack Jimmie. Jimmie, who was the greatest open-field runner in the country, even though he does play with the Miners.

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Cornell Eleven a 1-3 Favorite Over Penn Team

Victory for Ithacans Today Will Give Them a Clean Slate for Season.

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Foley's men will be first nice, and will capture the title should they win 10 points putting them 3 points ahead of their next rivals, no matter what the outcome of the second battle, likely to be.

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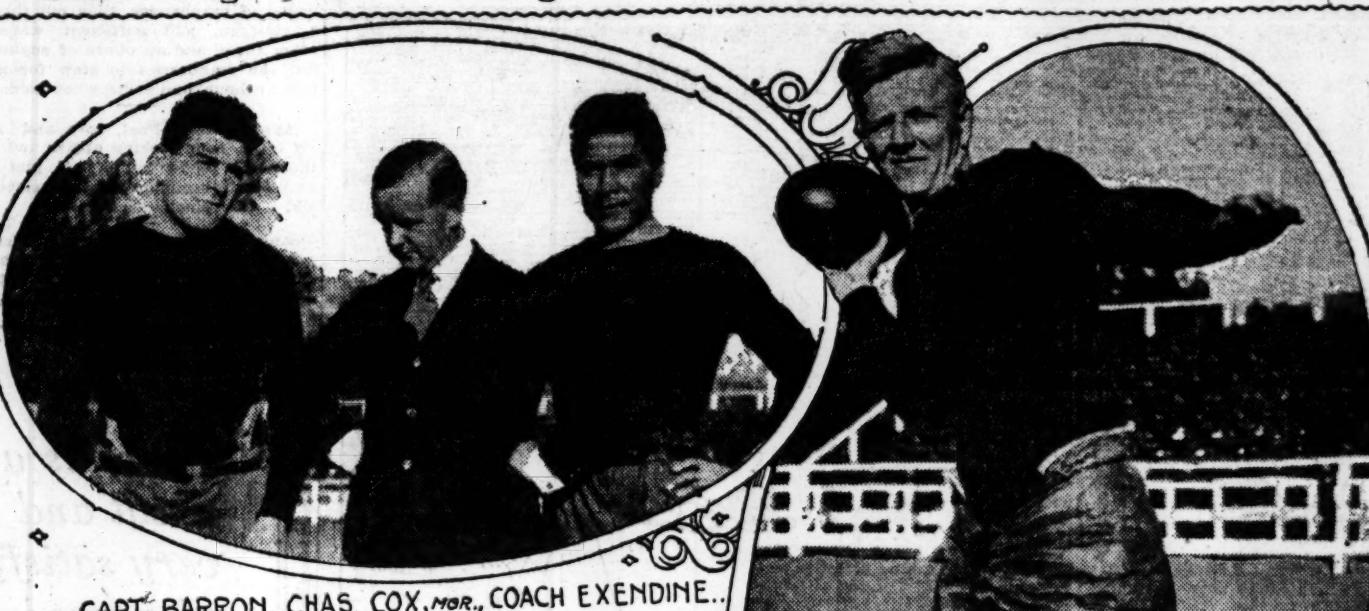
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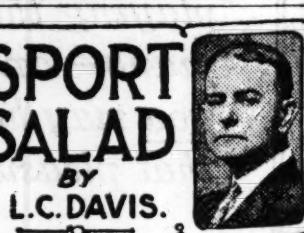
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Star Players and Manager of Georgetown Eleven, Here Today



CAPT. BARRON, CHAS COX, MR., COACH EXENDINE.



Thanksgiving.

AT midnight, in his guarded coop, The Turk was dreaming of the hour When father and his hungry troupe Had come to claim his crimson rump.

Said he: "I fear I'm doomed to croak, For dangers all around me lurk; I think that I'm destined to a joke— That's nothing in it for the Turk."

By Harry S. Sharpe,

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Cornell.

Stanislaw.

McFerrin.

Snobell.

Calvin.

Freiss.

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Thomas.

Powers.

Total weight, 1912;

average per man, 173.9-11.

GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY.

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Position.

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DAILY Comic Page

The Jarr Family

Written for the Post-Dispatch
 By Roy L. McCarell.

MR. JARR Worms a Hideous Secret From the Young Bridegroom Who is Visiting Him.

AFTER dinner the visiting bride, Mrs. Maudie Hoker (nee Hickett) and Mrs. Jarr permitted their husbands to smoke in the front room—a great liberty for Mr. Jarr—while the ladies remained in the dining room to clean up the supper things, it being Gertrude's, the Jarr's light running domestic evening out.

By these means, under the guise of instruction in domestic science, Mrs. Jarr got a helping hand with the dishes. As for Mr. Jarr, the evening presented no intellectual or social treat for him. Mr. Claude Hoker leaned against the radiator and sighed. He refused the cigar Mr. Jarr tendered him and sighed again.

"What's the matter with you?" asked Mr. Jarr. "Got a headache?"

"Worse than that," was the reply. "I have been a traitor."

"Well, that will do you no harm in this country," remarked Mr. Jarr. "That 'shot at sunrise' stuff doesn't go here. We are a peace-loving nation. We do not raise our boy to be a soldier, but we keep him working overtime making munitions of war for other nations to assassinate each other with."

"I have been a traitor to a cause," moaned the young married man, and he batted his head against the wall as though bent upon self-destruction. "Don't do that!" cried Mr. Jarr. "Right where you're butting your head is a beam, and if you keep on hammering your noodle against it you'll be knocking out the bricks on the front of the house. And don't butt there!" added Mr. Jarr in alarm as the despairing Mr. Hoker aimed his head at another space on the wall. "There's nothing but plaster there," Mr. Jarr explained, "and you'll knock a hole in the wall."

Young Mr. Hoker groaned, and Mr. Jarr wanted to know why it was that he was given such tasks as unpaid keepers of mental deficient Mr. Jarr always got the worse of it in case of this kind. Had young Mr. Hoker been a pleasant companion Mr. Jarr would never have been permitted to play with him.

"You can tell me your troubles," added Mr. Jarr after another gloomy silence on the part of his vis-a-vis. "If you've committed a murder I know very well there's no reward offered, and if you're in financial straits you can do me no harm, for I am an immune from a monetary standpoint."

"It isn't money, and it isn't murder," groaned the bridegroom. "It is treason, base treachery, I tell you!"

"All right, tell me," said Mr. Jarr.

"You would betray me," replied the guilty wretch.

"It isn't bigamy or anything of that sort, is it?" asked Mr. Jarr.

Young Mr. Hoker gave a hollow laugh that turned into an even hollower groan. "It's worse than bigamy," he groaned, "and I'm afraid it will be found out."

"It won't be found out if you are not a big simp and tell on yourself," said Mr. Jarr. "What was it?"

"My treason rankles in my breast," moaned the unhappy person.

"Let it rankle," Mr. Jarr advised. "That's better than having it rankle in other people's breasts. Take my advice and never switch on yourself. Don't trust your closest friend. So long as nobody else knows you won't get in any trouble. But if you expect others to keep them for you? Only a boob betrays himself. What's on your mind?"

"Can I trust you?" whispered young Mr. Hoker.

"Sure!" said Mr. Jarr, "but mind you, I'm not curious. I don't want to know what you have done. I mind my own business and I am not inquisitive about what other folks do. Out with it!"

"You'd never believe it if I told you," moaned the patient. "Nobody would believe it of me. Oh, dare I tell you? I must confess!"

"Don't tell me, if you think you'll regret it," remarked Mr. Jarr. "As I told you, I have no curiosity. But if you're going to tell it, why, get it off your chest."

"Listen!" whispered the unhappy Hoker, told Maude upon our wednesday day I was for female suffrage! But I vote against it whenever I can."

"Hush! Not so loud!" cautioned Mr. Jarr. "There are only about half a million of us who are in the same fix."

"Hush!"

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Learning It.

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The Young Married One: Oh, I know that already.

The Old Married One: Indeed?

The Young Married One: Yes; I cook them, my husband likes and yet he doesn't like the things I cook.—Life.

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By Bud Fisher



'SMATTER POP?

Only a Small Fraction!

Drawn for the Post-Dispatch
 By G. M. PAYNE



MORE AT THE FEAST THE MERRIER.



Let's stick around awhile, Jimmie. Maybe somebody might invite us to dinner.

Thanksgiving Etiquette.

WHEN requested to state what part of the turkey you prefer never ask for the neck. That belongs to the man who carves.

Don't start telling a long-winded story about the time dessert is being served. Remember the children have to wait for the second table, and you will be their excuse for life if you prolong the agony.

Don't wear your best vest that you will have to unbuckle when the dinner is half over. Elastic belts are the correct thing this year.

Don't ask what the mince pie is made of. Keep your suspicions to yourself.

Excused.

HORAY!" said Willie. "It's my turn to speak a piece in school next Friday afternoon."

"Why, I thought you didn't like to speak pieces," said his big sister.

"I don't. Next Friday is the day after Thanksgiving and I'm going to be sick."

FABLES AESOP NEVER THOUGHT OF

By H. Jell Jr.

The Thanksgiving Turkey.

OLD GABE, the big bronzed Thanksgiving turkey, strutted around the barnyard, eying the chopping block each time he passed it.

Finally he stopped and said to the giant Dominie rooster. "On every hand I hear talk of Thanksgiving and thankfulness, yet here am I the very spirit and symbol of the thing, without the ghost of a chance of living another day. I've got a whole heap to be thankful for. I don't think."

To which the rooster replied: "Gabe, old sport, we live by the law of things: you're your cog in the Great Wheel; you've got your part to play; fate doped this thing out for you before your great-grandmother was an egg."

Old Gabe squinted and then scurried to the chopping block and reported: "Oh, I see, and this is the way it's got to be. I ain't kloking-yet; I know it's the dope, all right, and I'll be on the job when the time comes."

Moral: Each of us has his part to play—a usefulness, no matter how meager or great to serve out. Take your medicine; be a sport; don't whine because you're getting the short end of it.

The safest dish to call for in a restaurant is one you know nothing about. There then can be no disappointments.—Albany Journal.

Little boys have pure hearts, but rarely clean hands.

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